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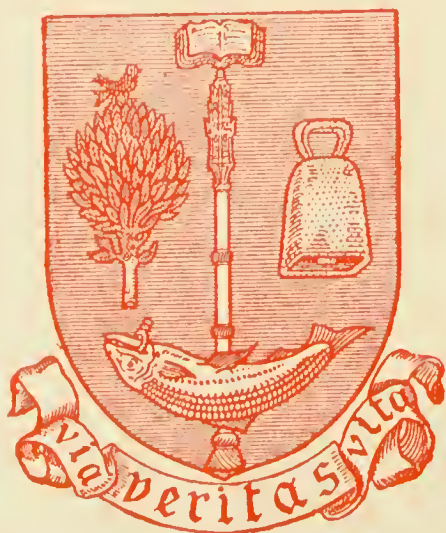


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OF THE

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS
OF EDINBURGH,

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WITH CHARTER, LETTER OF RATIFICATION,

AND

LIST OF FELLOWS.

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OFFICE BEARERS.

1852.

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PREFACE.

THE attempt to incorporate the Practitioners of Medicine in Scotland for the purpose of raising the standard both of the character and acquirements of Physicians, originated in 1617. King James I. of England, to whom an application for that purpose was made, received it favourably, and issued an order to the Parliament for the establishment of a College of Physicians in Edinburgh. This order is still extant. After reciting the evils which the community had suffered from the intrusion of irregular practitioners, it directs the Parliament to form a College of Physicians, and to appoint seven persons to examine those who practise Medicine, and to make it illegal for any person to exercise the art and science of Physic within Edinburgh and the neighbourhood, without the Diploma of the College.

Early attempts at formation of a College.

Order of James I.

His Majesty also farther suggests that warrant should be given to the College to appoint yearly three of their number to visit the Apothecaries' shops in the burgh, to examine the state of the drugs exposed for sale, and to destroy such as might be found corrupt or insufficient.

Dissensions, chiefly of a religious kind, had the effect of frustrating the wishes of the King in this respect.

How frustrated.

Renewal of attempt,
1630.

In 1630 the attempt was renewed, and King Charles I. referred the matter to the Privy Council; but, owing chiefly to the unsettled state of public affairs, nothing more was done in his reign.

Patent by Cromwell,
1656.

The matter was warmly taken up by Cromwell during his Protectorate; and a patent, still extant, was made out in 1656, instituting a College of Physicians of Scotland, “who shall have power and authoritie to oversie, rule, and order, what may concerne the right administratioune of Physike to the people of Scotland in all pairts and places of the said nation, with power to them to censure and punish all persons who shall presume to practise, exercise, or profess Physike, or give Medicines, or ordaine Physicall Praescriptiones in any pairt or place of Scotland, being not members of the said Colledge, or not being approved and licensed by the said Praesident and Colledge under their Common Seal.” Farther, by this patent of Incorporation it was proposed to give to the said President and College the power to practise the Art of Surgery: “forasmuch as the Science of Physick doth comprehend, include, and containe in it the knowledge of Chirurgery, being a special part of the same and member thereof.” By it, also, the power of examining and licensing Apothecaries, and of visiting their shops, was to be conferred on the proposed College; and, lastly, they were to be entitled to receive from the magistrates of the several cities and burghs, and the sheriffs of the respective counties, “such dead bodies of malefactors executed as they shall desyre, for making of dissection and anatomie for the use of the Colledge.”

The extensive powers thus proposed to be conferred

naturally created jealousies among the other public Medical bodies, and before the various conferences for the adjustment of these differences were ended, the death of the Protector put a stop for a time to the whole matter.

Frustrated by other Medical Bodies and death of Cromwell.

Eventually, though not without great opposition on the part of the Surgeons, the Universities, the Municipal Corporation, and even the Bishops and Archbishops, the present Charter of Incorporation was obtained from Charles II., and the Great Seal appended on St. Andrew's day, 1681.

Present Charter, 1681.

This Charter commences by laying down the necessity which exists for ascertaining that those who design to practise any profession should be examined as to their capacity for doing so, and that from the absence of any regulation of this kind regarding Medicine, great confusion had arisen, and many very ill qualified exercised the healing art. It then proceeds to institute the College of Physicians as a great and powerful means of correcting these abuses. It ordains that the College shall consist of certain individuals who are named, and of all others chosen by them as Colleagues and Fellows of their Society, within the city of Edinburgh,* its suburbs and liberties: so that they and their successors should be united and conjoined into one body, community, and College, in all time coming. The Charter further provides for the election of a Council, President, and other Office-Bearers, and

Summary of its contents.

* In a legal opinion by the Dean of Faculty (Adam Anderson, Esq.,) subsequently Lord Advocate, and now one of the Senators of the College of Justice, and John Marshall, Esq., now Dean of Faculty, dated December 1851, it is stated,—“We are of opinion that the jurisdiction and privileges of the College hold over the extended royalty of the city of Edinburgh, and extend as the royalty extends.”

Summary of contents of Charter.

confers on the College the power to enact Laws for its due government and welfare, and to promote the Science and regulate the practice of Medicine within the city of Edinburgh and Leith, their suburbs and liberties.

It prevents, under certain penalties, any one from practising Medicine within its jurisdiction who has not obtained its license or diploma.

It confers on the College the power, under certain regulations, of calling before them and fining unlicensed practitioners, and also of punishing all Physicians, Doctors of Medicine, Licentiates, and Fellows practising within their jurisdiction, who shall violate any of the Laws of the College.

The College is farther invested by the Charter with power to examine, along with a magistrate and chemist, the medicines kept in the Apothecaries' shops, and to destroy them in the event of their not being found of good quality.

The Charter also declares that the Magistrates shall not allow any one to open an Apothecary's shop after the date of its ratification, until he has by an examination satisfied the President and Censors that he has a competent knowledge of drugs.

The Charter farther declares, that no Fellow of the College can be cited as a juror on any assize in town or country, nor be called out to watch or ward, or on any pretext whatever be withdrawn from his patients.

Immediately on receiving the Charter, the College entered with great zeal on the discharge of the duties committed to it.

Publication of a Pharmacopœia.

The publication of a Pharmacopœia was undertaken,

and arrangements were made for regular attendance on the sick poor.

The College met in apartments rented for the purpose, until in 1704 it acquired property in Fountain Close in the High Street. These premises were sold in 1770, and the foundation of the late Hall in George Street was laid in 1775. During the removal of that building, which is now numbered with the things that were, the foundation-stone was discovered in May 1845. A well-cut inscription on this interesting relic sets forth that it was laid by the hands of the late Professor Cullen, so long a distinguished ornament of the Edinburgh University, on the 27th November 1775. Inclosed in the stone, a bottle was found, containing, 1st, A Parchment Roll, on which are beautifully inscribed the names of the Fellows of the College at the time; 2d, Several British Coins of date 1771; 3d, A Silver Medal, representing on the one side the future College, surmounted by the words, “ARTI SALUTIFERAE SACRUM, at its base the serpent entwined round a club; on the other side—

First Hall in Fountain Close, 1704.

Hall in George Street, 1775.

Foundation Stone.

Laid by Professor Cullen.

Inscription on stone.

A E D E S
COLL. REG. MED.
E D I N B.
H I C P O S I T A E
XXVII NOV. A.D. MDCCLXXV
CURANTE PRAESIDE
GULIELMO CULLEN
ARCHITECTO
JAC. CRAIG.

4th, Another Silver Medal, having the arms of the city of Edinburgh on the one side, and on the other an inscrip-

Memorial to Architect.

tion, bearing that this memorial had been presented to Mr. Craig, Architect, by the Council of the city of Edinburgh, in compliment to his professional talents, in the year 1767. It is as follows :—

JACOBO CRAIG
ARCHITECTO
PROPTER OPTIMAM
EDINBURGI NOVI
ICHONOGRAPHIAM
D . D
SENATUS
EDINBURGENUS
M·DCCLXVII.

These interesting relics of an age gone by are now in the possession of the College.

Hall in Queen Street, 1845.

On the 8th of August 1844, the foundation-stone of the present Hall was laid by the President, Dr. Renton, in presence of the Fellows of the College and others. As is customary on such occasions, a bottle containing various memorials was deposited in the stone. In this instance there were, 1st, A copy of the last edition of the Edinburgh Pharmacopœia, containing a list of the Fellows of the College ; 2d, A work regarding the private affairs of the College, printed several years ago ; 3d, An Edinburgh Almanac for the current year ; 4th, Several British Coins of the day ; and, lastly, a silver plate with a suitable inscription in Latin relative to the occasion.

Aid in erecting Infirmary.

The erection of the Royal Infirmary was mainly due to the exertions of the College.

Pharmacopœia, first edition, 1699.

The first edition of the Pharmacopœia was issued in 1699, and since then the publication of successive edi-

tions has enabled the College to keep pace with the progress of scientific discovery.

From the date of its Incorporation in 1681, the attention Library. of the College appears to have been steadily directed to the formation of a Library. Sir Robert Sibbald, to whose exertions the College is mainly indebted for its Charter, was a large contributor to the Library. Two years after How commenced. the Incorporation of the College, a Librarian was appointed. The Library was during the earlier years of its existence, enriched by donations from Fellows of the College, eminent Physicians, and individuals of distinction not even connected with the medical profession.

In 1705, the library of the deceased Laird of Living- Progress of Library. stone, was purchased for 300 merks Scots.

In 1741, a large donation was made by Mr David Drummond, advocate, of the books of his late brother, Dr. John Drummond.

In 1756, a considerable addition to the Library was obtained from Messrs. Hamilton & Balfour, Booksellers, in return for the copyright of the Pharmacopœia, published in that year.

In 1761, Alexander Gibson, Esq., of Clifton Hall, presented to the College the Library of their late Fellow, Dr. Edward Wright of Vessie, of whose property he was the heir.

The Transactions of the Academy of Sciences of Paris, in seventy-nine volumes 4to, were bequeathed about the same time by another Fellow, Dr. James Mackenzie.

In 1766, John Earl of Bute, presented the twenty-six magnificent folios of Hill's Vegetable System.

In 1781, Sir John Pringle presented, under certain conditions, ten volumes of MS. Annotations.

In 1791, the College expended £100 in the purchase of books at the sale of the collection of the late Dr. Cullen.

In 1793, the first alphabetical catalogue was printed.

In 1828, by the bequest of Dr. Duncan, Junior, the College came into possession of a large collection of MS. Notes and Lectures, amounting to 180 volumes, and including the Lectures of the Founders of the Edinburgh School of Medicine.

In 1831, Dr. Adam presented the twelve folio volumes of Montfaucon's *Antiquité Expliquée*.

In 1836, the College, by the bequest of Dr. Moncrieff, acquired his medical books, consisting of 225 volumes.

In 1845, Dr. Home presented 240 volumes; and the family of the late Dr. Abercrombie, 80 volumes from his Library. In the same year, Dr. Beilby presented a number of scarce and curious old medical books.

Catalogue of Library.

In 1848, the Library Committee finally completed a new Catalogue, which was printed in January 1849.

Present condition of Library.

The number of Volumes at present contained in the Library is nearly 9000.

Museum.

The formation of the Museum of Materia Medica may be dated from the 4th August 1835, when a Committee appointed to consider the sale or improvement of the College Hall in George street, reported,—“That it had occurred to the Committee that it might be desirable to commence a Museum of Materia Medica, for the reception of which the Hall, or other part of the building, might

How commenced.

gradually, as required, be fitted up." A Committee was appointed to take all measures which should appear to them to be proper for commencing such a Museum.

The Committee accordingly invited the Fellows and others to contribute donations to the Museum, and entered into a correspondence with Lord Glenelg, the Colonial Secretary, and the heads of the Army and Navy Medical Boards, for the purpose of procuring through their influence objects of interest for the Museum.

In the meantime, donations began to be received, and the late Dr. Davidson had the honour of being the first contributor, presenting the first three specimens on the 3d November 1835. Dr. Christison's donations, however, were the most numerous and valuable, numbering 29 by April 1837. Progress of Museum.

Dr. Stark, on his appointment as Honorary Curator in 1839, entered vigorously on the discharge of his duties; and it was chiefly through his exertions that the following donations were obtained:—

In 1839, Dr. Christison put the duplicates he might receive for his own collection at the disposal of the College, and became a contributor to the Museum of valuable specimens not otherwise attainable. Mr. Duncan, (of Duncan & Flockhart,) Mr. J. F. Macfarlane, and others, also made numerous donations. The Messrs. Lawson & Son, on a list being furnished to them of such articles as they could easily procure, kindly presented the collection of cereals and others now in the Museum; and the Botanical Society of Edinburgh, on being furnished with a list of the medicinal plants of Great Britain, generously

presented select specimens of the whole, amounting to 338 species, to the Museum of the College. Through the kindness of Professor Graham and Mr. Macnab, Dr Stark also obtained from the Royal Botanical Gardens, specimens of such medicinal plants as flowered or bore fruit there, and from this source several interesting specimens were procured, and have been preserved both in the green and the dried states.

To forward the formation of the Museum, Dr. James Wood gave a donation of £10, 10s., and the College from its entertainment fund, gave £25, to be expended in purchases of articles of the *Materia Medica*. These sums were spent in adding to the Museum 301 specimens, which were placed there on or before the 9th November 1841.

The Martius Collection.

Very few additions were made to the Museum from the above date till 1847, when the College, having heard that Dr. Theodore Martius of Erlangen, the brother of the celebrated Brazilian traveller, wished to dispose of his splendid and very complete collection of *Materia Medica*, resolved to become the purchasers thereof. After considerable correspondence, it was announced to the College, at their meeting on the 3d August 1847, that Dr. Martius' collection was purchased by the College for the sum of £250. Through the influence of Sir William Gibson Craig, M.P., Lord of the Treasury, the whole collection was not only passed free of duty, but allowed to be forwarded at once to the College Hall before being opened.

No time was lost in getting suitable cases, and show-tables fitted up for the exhibition of this collection, and

on the 1st of May 1848, the Martius Collection was arranged, and ready for inspection.

The Animal Preparations amount in this collection to							160
Vegetable	do.	do.,	.	.	.	.	1395
Mineral	do.	do.,	.	.	.	.	309
							<hr/>
TOTAL,							1864

During the years 1848, 1849, and 1850, the Museum has received a valuable addition in the form of a complete series of Cinchona, and allied Barks, presented by John Elliot Howard, Esq. of Tottenham. This series embraces specimens of all the Barks now met with in British commerce, and also a series of the Lichens growing on the Barks.

On a rough calculation, the present preparations in the Present state of Museum. Museum amount to the following numbers:—

Animal Preparations,							166
Vegetable	do.,	.	.	.	.	.	2163
Mineral	do.,	.	.	.	.	.	380
							<hr/>
TOTAL,							2709

A New Edition of the Laws having been called for, it may be of service to the Fellows to have a short summary of the various changes which they have undergone since the first institution of the College in 1681:—

The two first meetings of the (7th and 8th December 1681) First Meetings, 7th, 8th, and 9th December 1681. College were occupied with the election of Office-bearers. Immediately (9th December 1681) thereafter they proceeded under the powers vested in them by the Charter, “to enact Laws for Bye-Laws. its due government and welfare.” It is exceedingly interesting to find, that, in addition to fixing the number necessary to con-

stitute a quorum, the two Laws then enacted have continued in force to the present time. The one provides that every new Law shall be considered at two separate meetings of the College before being enacted, and that every proposal to abrogate a Law shall be considered at three several meetings before a decision is come to ; the other, that every proposal before being laid before the College, “ shall be represented to the President and Council, who shall take it into consideration, and report the same at the next meeting of the College, with the sense of the Council thereupon.”

Period of election of
Office-Bearers.

4th and 18th January 1682.—Nearly as early in the history of the College, the day for the election of the Office-bearers, and the periods at which the quarterly meetings were to be held, were fixed, and these, too, have continued unaltered to the present time.

Fines.

10th February 1682.—At these meetings, fines of “ *seros*,” (coming one quarter after the hour of meeting,) and “ *absents*,” are first mentioned, although, as the time for collecting them only is fixed, it seems probable that they had been inflicted previously.

Promissory Engage-
ment.

21st March 1682.—The draught of the promissory engagement to be signed by Members on taking their seat was agreed to.

Revisal of Laws.

3d November 1684.—A Committee was appointed “ to revise all former acts, and to order the booking of such of them as they shall think fit in the Great Register.”

6th January 1685.—The Committee appointed to revise the Laws reported. They first propose regulations for the minimum course of study by Licentiates ; next for the trial of Apothecaries, suggesting that no one should be permitted to officiate as an Apothecary until they have been examined “ upon their skill in the Simples, in the Latin tongue, reading of receipts, and what else shall be found needful.”

Blank in Minutes
from 22d December
1684 to 21st March
1693.

From *22d December 1684* to *21st March 1693*, a blank occurs in the Minutes; and during that period, and for some time thereafter, the College would appear to have been chiefly occupied with the discussions between them and the Chirurgeon Apothecaries, and the legal proceedings consequent upon them.

9th November 1693.—The Fees to be paid by Fellows and ^{Fees} Licentiates are fixed.

It would appear that a custom had prevailed of the whole ^{Election of President.} College electing the President. It was, however, proposed and discussed at two meetings, and passed into an Act, (*14th November 1695*,) that the seven Councillors chosen by the College, shall elect one of their number to be President, and this notwithstanding any custom to the contrary; and this Law has been in force ever since.

26th August 1701.—The Fees of admission of Fellows and ^{Fees.} Licentiates were again altered.

12th January 1704.—A Committee was named to revise the Laws.

6th May 1707.—An Act was passed to render more effectual ^{Act to separate between Physician and Surgeon.} the separation between the Physician and Surgeon. It was ordained that this act should be signed by all the Fellows. This would appear to have been done; and, subsequently, each Fellow at his entrance, would seem to have signed it up to 1756, when the practice was discontinued without any notice of it in the Minutes.

For some time subsequently to this, various acts were passed regulating the “dues of Entrants and Licentiates,” but nothing of particular interest occurs until—

6th November 1750.—When an Act was unanimously passed, ^{No Fellow to keep a Shop.} prohibiting the admission of any one as a Fellow of the College who is a Member of the Corporation of Surgeons or Apothecaries, or who keeps a shop for the dispensing of medicine, and declaring that any one doing so after his admission, “shall, *ipso facto*, forfeit all privileges which he did, or might, enjoy as a Fellow of the College, and his name shall be expunged out of the Roll of Fellows.”

11th April 1754.—A farther Act to prevent one person from conjoining the profession of medicine and pharmacy, was read a third time and passed unanimously.

1st November 1763.—An act was read a third time and ^{Candidates to be Licentiates for one year.} passed, that in all time coming every Doctor of Medicine shall remain a Licentiate one whole year before becoming a Fel-

low ; that no Member of the Corporation of Surgeons shall be admitted a Fellow or Licentiate, and that any Licentiate or Fellow becoming a Member of the said Corporation, shall forfeit his License or Fellowship.

No Fellow to keep
an Apothecary's
Shop.

1st May 1764.—On the report of a Committee, the College confirmed their former Act (*11th April 1754*) in regard to Fellows keeping Apothecaries' shops, and extended it to all residing in Great Britain and Ireland, declaring that any Fellow of the College practising Pharmacy within the three kingdoms, shall, *ipso facto*, forfeit his right of Fellowship, and his name shall be struck out of the Roll of Fellows.

No Fellow to prac-
tise Surgery or Mid-
wifery.

17th May 1765.—An Act was passed declaring that for the future no person should be admitted to be one of the Fellows, “whose common business it is either to practise Surgery in general, or Midwifery, Lithotomy, Inoculation, or any other branch of it in particular ; and further, that if any Member of the College shall, after his being received a Fellow, practise any of these lower acts in the manner above-mentioned, and shall thereof be lawfully convicted, he shall be degraded from the honour conferred upon him when he was admitted a Fellow, and his name shall be struck out of the Roll.”

7th February 1769.—After full consideration by a Committee, and repeated discussion in the College, an Act was passed providing that no Fellow or Licentiate of the College shall exercise the business or profession of Midwifery, Lithotomy, or any of the other manual operations of Surgery ; and providing, that if lawfully convicted, he shall be fined £40 Scots for the first offence, and for the second, if convicted, he shall forfeit his right of Fellowship, if a Fellow of the College, or his right of License, if a Licentiate, and all right and title whatever to practise physic within the city of Edinburgh and liberties thereof.

Subsequent discus-
sions on the above.

7th November 1769.—The Act of *7th February* was rescinded.

5th May 1770.—A motion to rescind the Act *17th May 1765*, was rejected.

Candidates to be
balloted for.

5th February 1771.—An Act was passed for henceforth balloting for Candidates for the Fellowship.

6th August 1772.—The Act of 17th May 1765, was amended on the report of a Committee to whom it had been remitted for consideration.

4th August 1772.—The Act prohibiting Fellows from practising Surgery or Midwifery, was renewed, and it was ordained that all Fellows doing so, and against whom it shall be fully proved, shall forfeit their Fellowship, and their name shall be struck out of the Roll.

Renewal of Act prohibiting the practice of Surgery and Midwifery.

3d November 1773.—The number of Honorary Fellows was restricted to ten.

24th February 1774.—Professors of Universities having by the Charter a right to be admitted Honorary Fellows, it was resolved that in any lists of Fellows hereafter published, such Honorary Fellows, *ex officio*, “shall be distinguished by some proper mark from those admitted by the voluntary Act of the College.”

Honorary Fellows *ex officio* to be distinguished.

4th November 1783.—The form of petition for Non-Resident Fellows was altered.

8th June 1784.—An Act was passed permitting the Graduates of Foreign Universities to be admitted Fellows without examination, on a motion to that effect being proposed at one Quarterly Meeting, and duly determined by ballot at the next.

Graduates of Foreign Universities.

6th May 1788.—The College repealed the Resolution of 4th August 1772, “in so far as it prohibits the Fellows of the College from the practice of Midwifery.”

Repeal of Act against Fellows practising Midwifery.

Hitherto the Laws and Regulations of the College are to be gathered only from the Minute-Books. It is apparent, however, that a growing desire began to be felt that these Laws should be digested into one body or code, and printed. In this matter the College appear to have acted with becoming caution and consideration, for on the

2d November 1784, a Committee was appointed for the purpose of preparing an Abstract of the Laws, from 7th December 1681 to 3d August 1784. This Committee reported on the 2d May 1786, when the matter was re-committed to them to be further considered and completed.

Abstract of Laws to be prepared.

1st August and 7th November 1786.—From statements made at these meetings, it would appear that the Committee were not yet prepared finally to report.

6th February 1787.—The Report of the Committee was laid on the table, ordered to be printed, and circulated among the Fellows.

1st May 1787.—A motion approving of the Report was read a first time and a second time.

First edition of
Laws.

6th November 1787.—Some delay was now interposed, until the question of the repeal of the law preventing Fellows from practising Midwifery was settled. This Law having been repealed on the *5th August 1788*, the College, at the first quarterly meeting thereafter, (*4th November 1788*,) unanimously approved of the Laws as proposed, “sanctioned and established the same, and resolved that the Laws should be printed as amended.” Thus the first Code of Laws was arranged and printed in the year 1789. Copies of this little volume are still extant.

Soon after improvements were introduced, and, accordingly, on the

2d February 1790, it was enacted—

Order of Seniority.

First, That when two or more Licentiates were elected Fellows at the same meeting, they should be marked on the Roll according to the date of their admission ; and if they are of the same date as Licentiates, they shall be enrolled according to the date of their Diplomas ; and if their Diplomas are of the same date, they shall be enrolled according to their age.

Suspension of a Law.

Second.—That any Law of the College may be suspended for a limited time, provided said suspension is agreed to by two-thirds of the Members present, and that due intimation of the proposal is made in the billets by which the Members are summoned.

Payment of Fines.

3d August 1790.—To secure the strict enforcement of the payment of fines, it was ordered that absentees at the last meeting should be called on to pay their fines immediately after the roll-call, and Fellows who are late, to pay the fines as they come in.

6th August 1793.—The Entrance-Fee of Resident Fellows, Entrance Fee.
was fixed at £100 *nett*.

2d February 1796.—A proposal was made to repeal the Act Discussions in regard to Fellows keeping Medicine.
dated *11th April 1754*, in so far that every Fellow and Licentiate of the College may have it in his power to supply his own patients with medicines, or the patients of those with whom he may be conjoined in practice.

This motion was read a second time *3d May 1796*, and a third time *2d August 1796*, when the discussion was adjourned to be resumed *1st November 1796*, and again adjourned.

The proceedings connected with this gave rise to a most painful personal dissension between some of the most eminent Fellows, the discussions on which appear to have occupied much of the minutes at that time. All these minutes were, however, erased by an order of the College dated *4th May 1830*. Enough, however, is still to be found in the volumes printed on the subject. Dr. James Gregory's Censorial Letter; Dr. Andrew Duncan's opinion on a charge against Dr. James Gregory, 4to, Ed. 1808; Dr. Andrew Duncan's Letter to Dr Gregory, 8vo, Ed. 1811; Narrative of the conduct of Dr. James Gregory, published by authority of the Royal College of Physicians, 4to, Edin. 1809.

On the *4th August 1795*, another attempt to enforce the rigid Contribution from Fellows.
collection of the fines is made, and the reason of this becomes apparent on *2d May 1797*, when the contributions and fines not being sufficient to defray the expenses of the entertainments, the College resolved that in future, £5 be paid by each Fellow towards them.

7th February 1804.—A Committee was appointed to revise the Revision of Laws.
Laws with a view to a new edition being issued. This Committee report progress, *1st May 1804*; and lay a copy of their Report before the College *7th August 1804*.

The Report was considered in *November*, and again in *February*, when, in consequence of much difference of opinion, it was (*5th February 1805*) re-committed. The amended Report having been brought up, (*7th May 1805*,) the first reading engaged the attention of the College at no fewer than four meetings,

Second Edition of The Laws, however, were finally read a third time and adopted, Laws adopted.
(2d September 1805,) not, however, without a protest.

Promissory Engage- 5th November 1805.—It having been stated that the copy of
ment lost. the promissory engagement signed by each Fellow on taking his
seat was irretrievably lost, the Clerk was directed to prepare a
new one.

4th February 1806.—The new edition of the Laws in print
was laid on the table. A new promissory engagement was
produced and signed by those present.

Revision of Laws. 6th May 1823.—The Council of the College were appointed a
Committee for the purpose of revising the Laws of the College
in order to a new edition being printed.

Repeal of Act 1754. 6th May 1823.—The Act of 1754, as far as it regarded
the practice of Surgery, was totally repealed, and that part
of it relating to the practice of Pharmacy altered as follows :—“If
any Fellow or Licentiate of the College shall, by himself, co-
partner, or servants, keep a public Apothecary’s, Druggist’s, or
Fellows keeping Chemist’s shop, he shall, *ipso facto*, forfeit all the rights and
Druggists’ Shops. privileges which he does, or may, enjoy as a Fellow or Licentiate
of the said College, and his name shall be expunged from the
List.”

3d August 1824.—The Committee appointed, 6th May 1823,
laid on the table, proof copies of the revised Laws; these were
taken up at no fewer than eleven meetings of the College, but
were never finally adopted.

Revision of Laws. 5th August 1828.—The President, at last, having reported
that the edition of the Laws, 1805, was expended, it was agreed
that the Laws which had been in proof for four years should be
again revised, for which purpose a Committee was appointed.

4th November 1828.—Report of Committee on Laws given
in; ordered to be printed and circulated among the Fellows.

New Laws adopted. 4th August 1829.—The Laws and Regulations of the College
as amended were finally adopted.

1st February 1831.—It was agreed that any Fellow leaving
the room during a meeting of the College should be fined.

3d May 1831.—A motion was carried, regulating the Fees for Fees.
License and Fellowship.

7th August 1832.—It was resolved that the ballot for the admis- Resident Fellow.
sion of Resident Ordinary Fellows may take place at the Quarterly
Meeting following the presentation of their petition, in the same
way as in the case of Non-Resident Fellows.

5th November 1833.—Motion for the infliction of Fines against Members of Coun-
the Members of the Council of the College for non-attendance cil to be fined for
absence.
agreed to.

1st August 1837.—A letter was read from a Fellow of the Proposal for Col-
College, proposing that for the future Candidates for License lege to grant Li-
and Fellowship should not be required to possess medical degrees, cences.
but that provision should be otherwise made for ascertaining
their qualifications. This subject occupied much of the time of
the College, and gave rise to much discussion at many subsequent
meetings. At the succeeding meeting—

7th November 1837.—A Committee was appointed to con-
sider and report upon it.

6th February 1838.—The Report of this Committee was Legal opinion.
given in, along with the opinion of Mr. John Hope, Dean of
the Faculty of Advocates, and Mr. James Ivory, Advocate, on
certain queries submitted to them regarding it. The remit to
the Committee was continued, that they might report farther on
the matter.

19th May 1838.—In consequence of the death of a gentle- Fees not returned
man who had been balloted for, and admitted a Fellow of the where a Fellow elect-
College, but who died before taking his seat, a question arose as ed died before tak-
to whether his fees of admission should be returned to his heirs— ing his seat.
the College resolved that money so paid was the property of
the College, and could not be alienated unless in the manner
prescribed by Law for the alienation of other property.

18th December 1838.—The Report of the Committee on the
admission of Fellows was again considered, and the final decision
on it postponed.

20th February 1839.—Report of Committee on admission of

Fellows again considered. Two motions made. 1st, Motion to approve of the Report. 2d, Motion to disapprove. The vote being taken, the second motion was carried by the casting vote of the President.

Draught of New Charter.

21st March 1843.—The draught of a proposed new Charter for the College was read and approved. Owing to the prospect continually held out of some measure of Medical Reform being adopted by the legislature, by which the Charters of all existing bodies would be altered, no farther steps were taken to procure this new Charter for the College.

Trustees.

1st August 1843.—Resolved that all property belonging to the College shall be vested in Trustees to be chosen by the Council, with the approval of the College. The Trustees to be five in number, of whom the Treasurer shall be one *ex-officio*.

Foreign Graduates.

7th November 1843.—Certain regulations for the examination of foreign Graduates, which had been several times under the consideration of the College, read a third time and passed.

4th November 1846.—A motion that an official costume should be worn by the Fellows, was read a second time and negatived.

4th May 1847.—Resolved that as full a notice as possible of the business to be transacted at the Meetings of the College be given in the billets, by which the Meeting is summoned.

Certificates required of Fellows proposing to lecture.

4th May 1847.—Report of Committee on the examination of Fellows proposing to deliver lectures on the subjects required by examining medical boards, laid on the table.

2d November 1847.—Regulations in regard to the examination of Fellows proposing to lecture finally adopted, after being discussed at meetings held 11th and 14th May, and 3d August, 1847.

1st August 1848.—Resolved that the book containing the record of examination of foreign Graduates, should not henceforth be laid on the table, but only a copy of the entry regarding the examination of successful Candidates.

5th November 1850.—Moved that a Committee be appointed

to revise the Laws, and to report to the Council such suggestions Revision of Laws. for their improvement as may appear to them desirable; and that the Council, after full consideration of these suggestions, shall report them to the College, with their opinion thereon.

5th August 1851.—The new Laws, as considered by the Revision of new Laws. Council, were laid on the table, and the following motion unanimously adopted—“That, as it is extremely desirable that no Law should be adopted until it has received the fullest possible consideration, the College do now resolve that all proposed amendments on the Laws be given in to the Secretary, in writing, within ten days, and be thereafter considered by the Council and Law Committee conjointly, who shall Report them, with their opinion thereon, at next meeting of the College.”

It was farther resolved, that the amendments to be proposed, with the opinion of the Council and Committee thereon, should be printed, and circulated among the Fellows previously to the Meeting at which they are to be discussed.

4th May 1852.—The new Laws were considered for the third time, when the following motion was unanimously adopted:—

“The Royal College of Physicians having now for a third time considered the Report of the Law Committee as amended, do hereby declare the same to be adopted, and that the Laws therein contained are the Statutes and Bye-Laws of the College, by which it shall be governed in time coming, and do direct the Council to have the printing of the Laws completed, and copies issued to the Fellows at their earliest convenience.”

CHARTA ERECTIONIS
REGII MEDICORUM COLLEGII
APUD EDINBURGUM.

CAROLUS, Dei gratia, Magnæ Britanniae, Franciæ, et Hiberniæ Rex, Fideique Defensor, Omnibus probis hominibus suis ad quos præsentēs Literæ pervenerint, salutem. SCIATIS, Quandoquidem nos, ex innata nostra bonitate, et erga populum nostrum paterna indulgentia, cum simus scilicet pater patriæ, et omnium legiorum et subditorum nostrorum parens nutritius, necnon maxime cupidi et provide curantes, ut non solum jura, proprietates, et possessiones, aliaque quævis subditorum nostrorum commoda rata, provisa, et confirmata sint, verum etiam (quæ maximi sunt pretii, et illorum maxime intersunt) ipsorum scilicet vita et sanitas, omnium aliorum externorum emolumentorum fundamentum et subjectum, Dei benedictione, media ordinaria, et honestorum, fidelium, et approbatorum medicorum diligentiam, et fideles conatus ad morbos tot et tam periculosos humanæ fragilitati contingentes curandos et præveniendo comitante, conservetur; necnon animo revolventes, quod legum aliarumque scientiarum praxis et artium, artificiorum et mechanicarum technarum exercitium, legibus cura et prudentia nostra, et Reginorum nostrorum prædecessorum tam commode regulata et disposita sit, ut nulli liceat aut permissum sit prius in lege tanquam jurisperitus, vel advocatus, vel in quovis alio munere aut officio eo spectante, vel in qualibet scientia, professione, aut arte praticare, quam per probatum examen capax et aptus inveniatur, perque viros sufficienti potestate et autoritate in hunc effectum instructos legitime admittatur: præ nimia tamen et ingenua nimis medicorum id temporis modestia (ne suo merito minus tribuere

Preamble and reasons of foundation.

Importance of life and health.

Importance of good Physicians.

Examination of Candidates required in every other profession.

aut diffidere, aliorumve restrictionem in commodum et emolumentum suum intendere et designare videantur), physices et medicinæ praxis per longum tempus in maxima ataxia et confusione exstitit, et sine ullo warranto, autoritate, invasa, usurpata, proprioque impetu arrepta, exercita, magnaue in audacia et impunitate, sine ullo obstaculo aut impedimento, a mulierculis, aliisque non solum ignaris, sed et vilibus et sordidis personis, sine eruditione et liberali cultu, vel minima cujusvis literaturæ, ipsorumve medicinæ principiorum et elementorum notitia et tinctura, usa (potius abusa) fuit. Et non solum hortulani, aliique rudes et illiterati, in medicina praticare, et subditis nostris abuti, illudere, et imponere ausi sunt; verum etiam ad notitiam et famam prædictæ tolerationis et abusus peregrini impostores, agyrtæ, et empirici, nulla prævisa prohibitione, advenerunt, et in hoc regno diu commorati, et medicinam professi sunt et practicarunt, suaque medicamenta et pharmaca vendiderunt, et sine quovis vel ipsorum vel pharmacorum suorum conditionis et aptitudinis examine, populo distribuerunt. Quæquidem toleratio et abusus eo provecta est, ut quidam veneficii rei habiti et reputati professionem et praxin cum Doctoris Medicinæ nomine sibi assumere ausi sint; et quamvis ita plane rudes et ignari ut nec legere nec scribere queant, dictitare tamen audeant, et præscriptiones et receptas suas pro morborum maxime desperatorum cura describendascurent, cum magnis impensis, extortione, periculo, et destructione legiorum nostrorum, et in maximum dictæ professionis et scientiæ, tam antiquæ et necessariæ, tantique, per omnia tempora, et apud omnes nationes, usus et pretii, scandalum et opprobrium.

Medicine been long practised without qualification or authority.

And by more unworthy persons.

And by Quacks and Impostors of every kind.

Some have assumed the title of Doctor who could neither read nor write.

And all this to the manifest injury of the Public.

The Erection of a College of Physicians is the most appropriate means of reforming such abuses.

Cumque, ab exemplo et aliorum nostrorum regnorum, aliarumque bene constitutarum et gubernatarum nationum experientia, luculentur constet, quod Medicorum Societatis et Collegii ex personis gravibus, doctis, integris, et dictæ professioni congruentibus consistentis, erectio, maxime proprium et efficax foret medium, et ad tales abusus reformandos et præveniendos, ne in posterum irrepant, remedium; cumque nos benignum habeamus affectum erga antiquam civitatem nostram Edinburgum, quæ non solum

civium, sed et omnium subditorum nostrorum tantopere interest, cum, nempe, supremarum curiarum nostrarum juridicarum, in quibus authoritas et justitia nostra eminentissime repræsentantur et administrantur, sedes sit ordinaria, adeo ut nobilitas, ordoque equestris, alique nostri subditi sæpe occasionem habeant, eoque ab omnibus regni angulis proficisci, inque dicta civitate, per tempora et tempestates morbis et intemperiebus maxime obnoxia permanere teneantur, et considerationibus quibus supra Societatem et Collegium Medicorum modo, et cum potestatibus, facultatibus, et privilegiis infra script., Edinburgi erigere apud nos statuentes : Igitur nos dedimus et concessimus, tenoreque præsentium, ex certa nostra scientia, proprioque motu, prærogativa, et potestate nostra regali, damus et concedimus Davidi Hay, Thomæ Burnet, Matheo Brisbane, Archibaldo Stevensone, Andreae Balfoure, Roberto Sibbald, Jacobo Livingstone, Roberto Crawford, Roberto Trotter, Matheo Sinclare, Jacobo Stewart, Gulielmo Stevensone, Alexandro Cranstone, Joanni Hutton, Joanni M'Gill, Gulielmo Lauder, Joanni Lermonth, Jacobo Halket, Gulielmo Wright, Patricio Halyburton, et Archibaldo Pitcairne, artium magistris, et medicinæ doctoribus, omnibusque aliis qui posthac ab illis in ipsorum societatem cooptati fuerint, et ab illis tanquam collegæ et sodales eorum societatis intra dictam nostram urbem Edinburgi, suburbia et privilegia ejusdem, admissi fuerint, ut in unum corpus, communitatem, et Collegium uniantur et jungantur omni tempore futuro.

Peculiarly necessary in Edinburgh as the metropolis and seat of the courts of law.

College of Physicians to be erected.

First Fellows named in Charter.

Power to choose Colleagues and Fellows.

Jurisdiction to extend over Edinburgh, its Suburbs, and Liberties.

Et ereximus, instituimus, et incorporavimus, tenoreque præsentium erigimus, instituimus, et incorporamus viros supra mentionatos, eorumque successores, Collegium, societatem, et incorporationem fieri omni tempore futuro, omnibusque potestatibus, facultatibus, et privilegiis ad liberum Collegium, societatem, et incorporationem requisitis et spectantibus, frui et habere, et absque præjudicio generalitatis prædictæ, quocunque loco et tempore, et quoties sibi visum fuerit, convenire; cumque potestate illis, eorumque successoribus, commune gazophylacium seu thesaurarium et patrimonium habendi, et voluntaria munera, contributiones,

Powers and Privileges.

Power to hold Funds.

Power to acquire and hold Property.	legata, et donationes, in commodum et usum dicti Collegii, et ad medicinæ professionem et physices praxin et exercitium proferendum et promovendum impendendi, inter se erogandi, et ab aliis benevolis accipiendi. Inque hunc effectum, iisdem potestatem tradimus, eosque capaces reddimus, acquirendi, procurandi, habendi, et terras, tenementa, annuos-reditus, possessiones, decimas, aliaque in usum dicti Collegii, ejusque collegarum successorum, cum intra
A Common Seal.	tum extra burgum, possidendi, et commune sigillum habendi, commune Sigillum Regii Medicorum Collegii apud Edinburgum designandum, et habendi, agendi, et exercendi omnes alias libertates, potestates, et facultates cuilibet alii libero collegio et incorporationi competentes, quasve ipsi tanquam corpora incorporata debent, seu habere, agere, aut exercere poterint.
All the ordinary privileges of Corporate Bodies.	
Government of College.	Et pro meliori dicti collegii regimine, et thesauri et patrimonii eidem spectaturi administratione, dedimus, tenoreque præsentium dictæ societati et Collegio potestatem damus, ejusdemque collegis
Council of Seven.	mandamus, annuatim, omni tempore futuro, Concilium, ex septem dictæ societatis collegarum doctissimis, sapientissimis, et in facultate medicinæ maxime peritis, consistens, eligere: Quod quidem concilium unum ex eorum numero, pro illo anno Præsidem fore est electurum; cum potestate etiam dicto Præsidi et Concilio, Clericum, Thesaurarium aliosque Ministros in commodum dictæ societatis necessarios et requisitos, eligendi et constituendi. Et declaramus dictum Præsidem, Collegium, et communitatem, sub nomine <i>Præsidis Regii Medicorum Collegii apud Edinburgum</i> , capacem fore causas coram omnibus et quibuscunque judicibus in quibuscunque curiis et actionibus agere, prosecui, et tueri. Ac ulterius dicto Præsidi et Collegio,
President.	
Secretary, Treasurer, and other Officers.	eorumque successoribus, potestatem tradimus, canones, præcepta, acta, et statuta sancienti ad medicinæ scientiam promovendam, ejusdem praxin rite disponendam, inque bonam gubernationem, ordinem, regimen, et correctionem dicti Collegii et communitatis, omniumque dictam facultatem exercentium intra dictam civitatem Edinburgenam, ejusque suburbia, solummodo, viz. Letham, Vicum Canonicorum, Portam Occidentalem, Vicum Sancti Leonardi, et Vicum Figulinum, quando, et quotiescunque necesse fuerit. Proviso omnino, sicuti per
College may be a party in actions at law.	
College may make Bye-Laws for promoting the science and regulating practice of Medicine.	
Also for its own regulation and that of all Practitioners within its jurisdiction.	

præsentes providetur et declaratur, quod præsentibus non obstantibus Pharmaco-chirurgi Edinburgenses potestatem habituri sunt, omne genus vulnerum, contusionum, fracturarum, dislocationum, tumorum, ulcerum, et id genus alia quæ sunt chirurgicarum operationum subjecta, et accidentia exinde orientia duntaxat curandi; curam autem morborum originaliter internorum, ex medicorum dicti Collegii præscripto et directione unice præstandam, minime habebunt.

Fellows not to practise Surgery, and Surgeon-Apothecaries not to practise Medicine.

Et similiter concessimus, tenoreque præsentium concedimus, præfato Præsidi et Collegio, eorumque successoribus quod nulli intra dictam civitatem, ejusque suburbia et privilegia, antedictam facultatem prius praticare et exercere licebit, quam ad eandem per dictum Præsidem et Collegium, eorumque pro tempore successores, warranto et diplomate in hunc effectum per dictum Præsidem et Collegium, eorumque pro tempore successores concessio, eorumque communi sigillo signato fuerit admissus; idque sub pœna sexaginta librarum monetæ Scotiæ, quovis mense quo quicunque, modo prædicto nondum licentiatus et admissus, dicta facultate et praxi utetur et exercebit. Quarum quidem mulctarum alterum dimidium pauperum, alterum dicti Collegii usui et commodo applicandum volumus. Si quivis tamen, post censuram modo, prædicto, dictam facultatem nihilominus absque licentia exercere persistet, prædictam mulctam, quovis mense, quo praticare persistent, duplicandam ordinamus.

No unlicensed person to practise Medicine.

College to grant License by Diplomas.

Penalties.

Et pariter volumus, concedimus, et ordinamus, quod annuatim duo ex dicta Societate et Collegio per dictum concilium tanquam Censores eligantur, qui cum Præside pro tempore, vice et nomine dicti Collegii, potestatem, authoritatem, et jurisdictionem habebunt, omnes dictam medicinæ facultatem absque licentia, ut prædicitur, intra prædictam civitatem, libertates, et suburbia prædicta praticantes et exercentes, coram sese convocandi, illisque mulctas supra specificatas imponendi; dicto tamen medicorum Collegio, ejusve Præside, curias ad delinquentes puniendos tenturo, præpositum civitatis Edinburgi, vel unum aliquem ex ejusdem magistratibus, de curiæ suæ loco et tempore omni modo certiore faciente, adeo ut (si

Censors.

May with the President, hold courts for trial and punishment of delinquents.

Must give notice, that a City Magistrate may be appointed an Assessor.

ipsis visum fuerit) unum ex balivis suis illis in jurisdictione cumulativa assidere constituent: Proviso omnimodo, sicuti per præsentes providetur et declaratur, quod medicorum Collegio nondum licebit quemvis pharmaco-chirurgum Edinburgi burgensem mulctare, sine consensu præpositi, aut cujusvis unius ex balivis Edinburgi, qui assidebit, et talibus actis judicialibus intererit. Et si venire et adesse abnuerint, hoc secreto nostro concilio notum faciendum est, ut hi quod idoneum et justum sit, perficiant, absque præjudicio dicto Collegio, in casu recusationis et moræ procedendi, et similiter invigilandi, gubernandi, et coram se convocandi, et, si necesse fuerit, corrigendi et puniendi omnes medicos, et medicinæ doctores associatos, seu licentiatos, dictam facultatem intra dictam civitatem, et limites prædictos, exercentes, ob quæcunque crimina et delicta ab illis in eorum praxi contra statuta et acta dicti Collegii commissa; idque ab illis talia amerciamenta et multas exigendo, ut dicto Præsidi, Censoribus, et supervisoribus visum fuerit, utque delictum promerebitur; dictis tamen mulctis summam quadraginta librarum nondum excedentibus: quæ quidem amerciamenta et mulctæ usibus prædictis applicanda volumus et ordinamus. Et pro iisdem namando, et omni alia executione legali utendo et incarcerando, et ad sententias et mandata de tempore in tempus per dictos supervisores, virtute potestatis et authoritatis illis per nos commissæ, emittenda, magistratus intra dictam civitatem, suburbia et libertates ejusdem prædictas, aliosque nostros legis ministros, per præsentes, authoritate nostra mandamus et requirimus, ad prædictas sententias exequendas assistere; inque hunc effectum, præcepta namationis, aliasque executiones necessarias dirigere, eodem modo quo super propriis suis decretis et sententiis agere solent; cum potestate etiam dictis Præsidi et Censoribus, quoties opus fuerit, scrutandi, considerandi, et inspiciendi pharmaca, et medicamenta simplicia et composita nunc aut in posterum vendenda intra dictam civitatem, suburbia, et libertates prædictas, si recentia, bona, et proba sint, et quæ secure ad morbos et infirmitates legiorum nostrorum curandos usurpari et applicari poterint. Proviso omnimodo, sicuti per præsentes specialiter providetur, quod ubi talis inspectio et scrutinium

Surgeon-Apothecaries, Burgesses, not to be fined without concurrence of Provost or Magistrate.

Procedure in the event of the Summons being disregarded.

Magistrates and Officers to assist in carrying these sentences into effect.

Power of inspecting Shops of Apothecaries and Druggists.

faciendum est, unus ex magistratibus intra dictam civitatem, cum uno pharmacopœo et chirurgo-pharmacopœo, visitoribus pro tempore constituendis, qui assistere requirantur, ut eadem bene, et secundum regulas, pro populi commodo composita et præparata esse videant; et ubi pharmaca insufficientia et corrupta invenientur, cum potestate illis eadem in publicas plateas ejiciendi, vel destruendi.

Et ulterius, pro nobis et successoribus nostris volumus et concedimus, quod neque Præses, neque quivis alius dicti Medicorum Collegii, neve eorum successores, super assisam aut inquisitionem in urbe aut rure procedere citentur aut summoniântur. Cumque eorum in ægrotos et valetudinarios observantia sit semper adeo necessaria, ut sine maximo præjudicio et ægrotorum periculo ab eadem quovis pretextu et occasione abstrahi non debeant; igitur nos, pro nobis et successoribus nostris, dictum Præsidem, omnesque dicti Collegii socios et collegas, eorumque successores, ab omnibus excubiis in futurum liberamus et absolvimus.

Et per præsentis declaramus, quodvis jus, potestatem, et jurisdictionem ad magistratus civitatis Edinburgi, et quævis jura et privilegia ad chirurgo-pharmacopœos pertinentia, illis et singulis eorum respective, prout de jure competit, specialiter reservari.

Per præsentis etiam specialiter providetur, jurium et privilegiorum supra scriptorum dicto Medicorum Collegio concessionem, ad scholarum pro dicta arte medica, aut qualibet ejusdem parte docenda erectionem, seu gradus alicui eatenus conferendos et concedendos, nullo modo extendendam; eadem per præsentis specialiter declaratur absque præjudicio fore jurium et privilegiorum in favorem Universitatis seu Collegii Andreapolitani, Glasguensis, Abredonensis, et Edinburgensis concessorum; et præsentibus et clausulis quibuscunque inibi contentis non obstantibus, licitum et legitimum erit cuivis in dictis universitatibus laurea doctorandis, libertatem et potestatem habere in dicta civitate aliisque locis supra scriptis practicandi, ipsis tamen prædictis mulctis aliisque pœnis supra scriptis nondum obnoxiiis, nisi intra dictos limites, vel quamlibet earundem partem, actu commorati fuerint; in quo casu, dictæ incorporationis et societatis

No President or Fellow to be cited to proceed on Assize or Circuit;

nor to watch or ward;

nor on any pretext to be withdrawn from his Patients.

Powers of the Magistrates and of Surgeon Apothecaries specially reserved.

College has no power to erect a Medical School or to confer Degrees.

Graduates of the Scotch Universities may practise in Edinburgh without fine.

Must be subject to the Bye-Laws of the College.

præceptis et regulis, sicut alii in eadem incorporati, solummodo sub-
jicientur : et dictum Medicorum Collegium, more prædicto erigen-
dum, per præsentis obligatur quemvis hominem seu homines in dic-
tis Universitatibus laurea doctorandos, absque quovis prævio seu
antecedente examine, sed solummodo ad ipsorum diplomatis, seu ad
gradus admissionis Præsidi dicti Medicorum Collegii productionem
licentiare.

Not to prejudice Masters of Arts ;

Per præsentis omnimodo specialiter providetur, quod jurium
et privilegiorum supra scriptorum dicto Medicorum Collegio
concessio nullo modo præjudicabit quemvis artium magistri gradum
in qualibet dicti regni universitate nactum, et statim medicinæ
praxin exercentem, vel ad doctoris gradum in quavis ex prædictis
universitatibus, seu qualibet celebri universitate extera admissum,
quo minus viri hisce qualitatibus instructi, ad literarum suarum
patentium a dictis universitatibus domi aut peregre Præsidi dicti
Collegii productionem, intra limites præscriptos praticare licen-
tientur, nullo præeunte examine.

or Graduates of celebrated Foreign Universities.

Professors of Medi-
cine in the Univer-
sities shall be ad-
mitted as Honorary
Fellows.

Specialiter itidem providetur, quod publici medicinæ professores
respectivarum universitatum hujus regni, ad eorum Præsidi Collegii
supplicationem, tanquam socii honorarii ejusdem societatis ad-
mittentur.

Promise of Ratifica-
tion.

Et postremo, fideliter promittimus in verbo Principis, hoc præ-
sens diploma in hoc currenti Parlamento ratificatum iri, et per
præsentis status Parlamento idem conformiter ratificari requirimus.
In cujus rei testimonium, præsentibus magnum Sigillum nostrum
appendi mandavimus, apud aulam nostram de Whitehall, vigesimo
nono die mensis Novembris, anno Domini millesimo sexcentesimo
octogesimo primo, et anno regni nostri trigesimo tertio.

Per signaturam manu S. D. N. Regis suprascriptam.

CHARTER OF RATIFICATION

IN FAVOUR OF

THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS, EDINBURGH,

Dated June 16, 1685.

*At Edinburgh, the Sixteenth day of June, one thousand six
hundred eighty and five years.*

OUR SOVEREIGN LORD, with advice and consent of the estates of this present Parliament, ratifies and approves, and for his Majesty and his successors perpetually confirms, the Letters-patent granted by his Majesty's dearest brother, King CHARLES the Second, of ever blessed memory, whereof the tenor follows.

Ratification and approval of Charter.

[*Here the Letters-Patent are engrossed verbatim.*]

Together with all acts, decreets, and sentences of his Majesty's Privy Council, or of the Lords of Session, or of any other judicatory within this kingdom, conceived in favour of the Royal College of Physicians, for making the Patent above written, and privileges therein contained, effectual: And specially, but prejudice of the generality, an act of his Majesty's Privy Council, of the date the twenty-first day of November, one thousand six hundred eighty and four years, ordaining the said Royal College, at least twice a-year, to visit all apothecaries' shops and chambers within Edinburgh, suburbs and liberties thereof, calling to their assistance one or two of the eldest or ablest of the brotherhood of the apothecaries; as also, that they desire one of the Bailies of Edinburgh, or respective Magistrates of the place where the shops to be visited do lie, to grant their concurrence in the said visitation; and these Bailies or Magistrates are, by the said act, ordained, upon any such desire, to grant their effectual concurrence for ejecting and destroying all corrupt and insufficient drugs; and also ordaining, that the apothecaries, when required, shall attend and assist the

Ratification of Act of Privy Council, 1684, ordaining the College to visit all Apothecaries' Shops twice a-year.

Magistrates to grant their effectual concurrence.

Apothecaries to receive visitors with respect.

None to open Apothecaries' Shops who have not been examined by the Fraternity of Apothecaries, or by President and Censors of the College.

Ratification of Act of Lords of Session, dated 21st March, 1824.

said physicians; and that all masters of apothecaries' shops or chambers, or their servants, receive these visitors of the shops with all respect, and expose to their view all the drugs that shall be called for; and that upon oath, to be administered both to themselves and servants; and shall quietly and peaceably suffer the drugs that shall be found insufficient by the said physicians to be ejected and destroyed, as they will be answerable; And sicklike, ordaining that no persons who have not already been examined and admitted by the fraternity of apothecaries, be suffered in any time coming, by the Magistrates aforesaid, to keep any apothecaries' shops or chambers, except such allenarly as shall be tried and approved by the President and Censors of the said Royal College: And in like manner, ane act of the Lords of Session, dated the twenty-first day of March last bypast, proceeding upon suspension, at the instance of an chirurgion-apothecary, of a sentence pronounced by the President and Censors of the said Royal College, for unwarrantable practice of Medicine: whereby it was found by the said Lords of Session, that where the Magistrates of Edinburgh refuse or delay or give concurrence to punish delinquents, that the College, in that case, have both the judicative and executive power, in all and sundry heads, points, articles, circumstances, and conditions, contained in the said Letters-patent, and act above mentioned, and after the terms and tenor thereof, in all points: And his Majesty, with advice and consent foresaid, wills and grants, and for his Majesty and his successors, decerns and ordains, That this present ratification is, and shall be, as valid, sufficient and effectual, to the said Royal College, and their successors, as if the acts above mentioned were herein at length *de verbo in verbum* specially insert and engrossed: Whereanent our said Sovereign Lord, with advice and consent foresaid, for his Majesty and his successors, hath dispensed, and by thir presents dispenses for ever.—Extracted forth of the Records of Parliament, by George Viscount of Tarbat, Lord M'Leod and Castlehaven, Clerk to his Majesty's Parliament, Council Registers and Rolls, &c.

TARBAT, CLER. REG.

LIST

OF

THE FELLOWS OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AT EDINBURGH,

FROM THE FIRST ERECTION OF THE COLLEGE, ON THE 29TH NOVEMBER 1681.

LIST OF THOSE IN THE ORIGINAL PATENT.	
DAVID HAY. THOMAS BURNET. MATHEW BRISBAINE. ARCHIBALD STEVENSON. ROBERT SIBBALD. JAMES LIVINGSTONE. ANDREW BALFOUR. ROBERT CRAWFURD. ROBERT TROTTER. MATTHEW SINCLARE. JAMES STEWART.	ALEXANDER CRANSTONE. JOHN HUTTON. JOHN M'GILL. JOHN LERMONTH. WILLIAM STEVENSON. JAMES HALKET. WILLIAM WRIGHT. PATRICK HALYBURTON. WILLIAM LAUDER. ARCHIBALD PITCAIRNE.

LIST OF FELLOWS ADMITTED.

Names of Fellows.	Dates of their Diplomas.	Places where they received their Degrees.	Dates of their Licences to Practise.	Dates of their admission as Fellows.
PETER KELLO,				Dec. 11. 1682.
JOHN ABERNETHY,	June 9. 1683.	Orange.	Aug. 13. 1684.	Dec. 4. 1684.
From this to the year 1693, the record is wanting ; but, from subsequent sederunts. it appears, that, during this period, there were admitted,				
WILLIAM STEVENSON, WILLIAM ECCLES. WILLIAM DOUGLAS. THOMAS SPENCE. ROBERT HAY.				

Names of Fellows.	Dates of their Diplomas.	Places where they received their Degrees.	Dates of their Licences to Practise.	Dates of their admission as Fellows.
CHARLES OLIPHANT,.....			May 15. 1693.	Nov. 9. 1693.
ANDREW MELVILLE,.....	1683.	{ Caen, in } { Normandy }	July 5. 1694.	July 5. 1694.
JOSEPH DALRYMPLE,.....				July 30. 1694.
JAMES ROBERTSON,				Sept. 27. 1694.
DAVID DICKSON,	Feb. 21. 1690.	Harderwick.	Oct. 8. 1694.	Oct. 8. 1694.
GEORGE STIRLING,			Oct. 16. 1694.	Oct. 16. 1694.
JOHN SMELLOME,			Oct. 23. 1694.	Oct. 23. 1694.
GEORGE HEPBURN, '.....			Nov. 15. 1694.	Nov. 15. 1694.
ROBERT CARMICHAEL, ...	July 1. 1694.	Leyden.	Dec. 3. 1694.	Dec. 3. 1694.
DAVID MITCHELL,..... }				Sept. 14. 1695.
SIR EDWARD EIZAT,... }				Sept. 16. 1695.
WILL BLACKADDER,.....				Oct. 2. 1695.
GILBERT RULE,.....				Oct. 7. 1695.
ADAM FREER,		Leyden.	Oct. 7. 1695.	Oct. 7. 1695.
ALEXANDER DUNDAS, ...			Nov. 4. 1695.	Nov. 4. 1695.
JAMES FORREST,	June 12. 1691.	Leyden.	Nov. 20. 1696.	Nov. 20. 1696.
WILLIAM JARDINE,	Mar. 25. 1697.	Harderwick.	April 27. 1698.	April 28. 1698.
JOHN HAY,	Jan. 21. 1701.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 16. 1702.	Nov. 19. 1702.
JOHN RIDDELL,..... }				Nov. 26. 1702.
JOHN ST. CLAIR, ... }				Nov. 26. 1702.
JOHN MONRO,		Aberdeen. }	Jan. 7. 1704.	Jan. 7. 1704.
JOHN DRUMMOND,.....		Aberdeen. }		Feb. 9. 1704.
JAMES LUITFOOT,		Orange.	Feb. 9. 1704.	Feb. 9. 1704.
WILLIAM LERMONT,		Rheims.	Feb. 9. 1704.	Feb. 9. 1704.
WILLIAM STEWART,	July 24. 1704.	St. Andrews.	July 28. 1704.	Aug. 15. 1704.
FRANCIS PRINGLE,	July 14. 1702.	Leyden.		Dec. 1. 1704.
CHARLES PRESTON,			Nov. 21. 1704.	Dec. 1. 1704.
GEORGE MACKENZIE,.....				Aug. 30. 1705.
DAVID COCKBURN,	May 14. 1705.	Edinburgh.	June 29. 1705.	Aug. 12. 1707.
JAMES BROWN,	April 12. 1704.	Rheims.	Feb. 25. 1706.	Aug. 12. 1707.
WILL. ALEXANDER,	July 23. 1699.	Rheims.	June 18. 1706.	Aug. 12. 1707.
PATRICK SINCLAIR,	Oct. 24. 1703.	Utrecht.	Nov. 14. 1706.	Dec. 12. 1707.
THOMAS YOUNG,	June 18. 1694.	Utrecht.	Sept. 23. 1707.	Nov. 9. 1708.
ROBERT LOWIS,.....	Oct. 29. 1707.	Leyden.	Sept. 7. 1708.	Feb. 13. 1711.
JAMES CRAWFORD,	July 6. 1707.	Leyden.	Dec. 12. 1710.	Aug. 5. 1712.
NIC. MONTGOMERIE,	July 30. 1708.	Rheims.	Dec. 29. 1709.	Dec. 10. 1712.
JOHN MENZIES,	July 8. 1709.	Utrecht.	May 6. 1712.	June 1. 1714.
WILLIAM ARTHUR,	Mar. 12. 1707.	Utrecht.	Feb. 9. 1714.	June 15. 1714.
GEORGE PATULLO,.....	April 23. 1710.	Rheims.	Mar. 23. 1714.	Dec. 14. 1714.
JOHN CLERK,.....	July 5. 1711.	St. Andrews.	June 15. 1714.	Dec. 14. 1714.
WILLIAM HAMILTON,.....	Aug. 15. 1711.	Harderwick.	June 15. 1714.	Aug. 2. 1715.
WILLIAM COCHRAN,	Aug. 4. 1712.	Rheims.	Jan. 7. 1715.	Aug. 1. 1716.
ROBERT THOMSON,.....	July 15. 1713.	Rheims.	June 5. 1716.	Aug. 10. 1719.
JOHN BURNET,	Aug. 7. 1719.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 10. 1719.	Sept. 29. 1719.
JAMES ECCLES,	Nov. 10. 1718.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 24. 1719.	Nov. 1. 1720.
JOHN LERMONT,.....	Sept. 12. 1713.	Rheims.	Nov. 10. 1719.	Aug. 1. 1721.
JOHN MARSHALL,	Oct. 22. 1719.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 21. 1721.	Nov. 14. 1721.
CHARLES ALSTON,.....	Dec. 2. 1719.	Glasgow.	April 13. 1721.	Feb. 4. 1724.
WILL. PORTERFIELD,.....	Aug. 24. 1717.	Rheims.	June 8. 1721.	Feb. 4. 1724.
DAVID KINNEIR,	June 12. 1714.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 23. 1723.	Nov. 3. 1724.
GEORGE OSWALD,	Aug. 11. 1696.	Rheims.	Nov. 21. 1723.	Nov. 3. 1724.
	Nov. 16. 1723.	Edinburgh. }		Nov. 3. 1724.
JOHN RUTHERFORD,	July 21. 1719.	Rheims.	Mar. 24. 1724.	Nov. 3. 1724.
ANDREW SINCLAIR,	July 10. 1720.	Angers.	Feb. 25. 1724.	

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ANDREW PLUMBER,	July 23. 1722.	Leyden.	Feb. 25. 1724.	Nov. 3. 1724.
JOHN INNES,	Nov. 21. 1722.	Padua.	Mar. 24. 1724.	Nov. 3. 1724.
ALEXANDER SCOTT, ... {	July 22. 1713.	Rheims. }	Feb. 9. 1725.	Feb. 9. 1725.
	Oct. 2. 1724.	St. Andrews. }		
JAMES DUNDAS,	Aug. 22. 1722.	Rheims.	Mar. 2. 1725.	Nov. 2. 1725.
SIR ALEX. DICK,	Aug. 31. 1725.	Leyden. }	Feb. 7. 1727.	Nov. 7. 1727.
	Jan. 23. 1727.	St. Andrews. }		
JOHN STEVENSON,	Jan. 1710.	Harderwick.	May 6. 1729.	Aug. 5. 1729.
JOHN TAYLOR,	Mar. 21. 1727.	Glasgow. }	Aug. 5. 1729.	Aug. 4. 1730.
	July 4. 1727.	St. Andrews. }		
CHARLES NISBET,	Oct. 2. 1733.	St. Andrews.	Jan. 3. 1734.	} Feb. 4. 1735.
JOHN PRINGLE,	July 20. 1730.	Leyden.	Aug. 27. 1734.	
DAVID FOULIS,	Oct. 10. 1735.	Rheims.	Jan. 18. 1737.	Aug. 2. 1737.
JAMES BAIRD,	Aug. 21. 1733.	Rheims. }	June 21. 1737.	May 2. 1738.
	June 3. 1737.	St. Andrews. }		
ROBERT WHYTT,	April 2. 1736.	Rheims. }	Dec. 13. 1737.	Nov. 7. 1738.
	Oct. 31. 1737.	St. Andrews. }		
BERNARD ALLAN,	May 11. 1742.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 2. 1742.	Nov. 2. 1742.
ADAM MURRAY,	Dec. 19. 1726.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 13. 1743.	Aug. 13. 1743.
SIR STUART THREIP- LAND,	Aug. 9. 1742.	Edinburgh.	May 3. 1743.	Feb. 7. 1744.
JOHN COCHRANE,	May 5. 1744.	St. Andrews.	May 15. 1744.	May 15. 1744.
ALEX. CAMPBELL,	April 30. 1746.	St. Andrews.	May 6. 1746.	May 6. 1746.
THOMAS LIDDERDALE, ...	Oct. 20. 1747.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 2. 1748.	Feb. 2. 1748.
JOHN BOSWELL,	Nov. 1. 1736.	Leyden.	Sept. 13. 1737.	Aug. 2. 1748.
DAVID CLERK,	Aug. 15. 1746.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 1. 1748.	Nov. 7. 1749.
JOHN STEUART,	Mar. 12. 1740.	Rheims.	Aug. 5. 1746.	May 1. 1750.
JAMES LIND,	May 3. 1748.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1748.	May 1. 1750.
THOMAS ELLIOT,	Aug. 15. 1746.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1749.	Feb. 5. 1751.
COLIN DRUMMOND,	Aug. 22. 1750.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1751.	May 5. 1752.
FRANCIS HOME,	Mar. 7. 1750.	Edinburgh.	May 7. 1751.	Aug. 4. 1752.
WILLIAM CUMMING, ... {	April 6. 1750.	Rheims. }	Aug. 4. 1752.	Aug. 4. 1752.
	July 9. 1752.	Edinburgh. }		
ALEX. STEVENSON,	July 12. 1749.	Glasgow.	Nov. 5. 1751.	} Feb. 6. 1753.
JAMES GRIEVE,	1733.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1753.	
JOHN FOTHERGILL,	Aug. 13. 1736.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1754.	Aug. 6. 1754.
WILLIAM CULLEN,	Sept. 14. 1740.	Glasgow. }	Feb. 3. 1756.	Mar. 5. 1756.
ALEXANDER MONRO,	Jan. 1. 1756.	Edinburgh. }		
PATRICK HALDANE,	Aug. 3. 1758.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 10. 1758.	Aug. 10. 1758.
NORTH VIGOR,	June 12. 1747.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1758.	Nov. 7. 1758.
GREGORY GRANT,	May 4. 1753.	Rheims. }	Nov. 1. 1757.	Nov. 7. 1758.
	May 4. 1754.	Aberdeen. }		
ALEX. MONRO, jun.,	Oct. 25. 1755.	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1758.	May 1. 1759.
WILLIAM BAYLIES,	Dec. 18. 1748.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 7. 1759.	Aug. 7. 1759.
THOMAS GLEN,	July 31. 1726.	Rheims. }	Nov. 6. 1759.	May 6. 1760.
	July 27. 1730.	St. Andrews. }		
ROBERT RAMSAY,	Dec. 10. 1757.	Edinburgh.	Dec. 11. 1759.	} May 5. 1761.
EDWARD WRIGHT,	June 15. 1753.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1760.	
JOHN GARDINER,	Dec. 29. 1759.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 5. 1760.	Aug. 4. 1761.
JOHN HOPE,	Jan. 29. 1750.	Glasgow.	Nov. 6. 1750.	Feb. 2. 1762.
ADAM AUSTIN,	May 15. 1749.	Glasgow.	Aug. 7. 1753.	Aug. 3. 1762.
THOMAS YOUNG,	Nov. 30. 1761.	Edinburgh.	Dec. 8. 1761.	Nov. 2. 1762.
WILLIAM BUTTER,	Sept. 16. 1761.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1763.	Nov. 1. 1763.
JAMES WALKER,	May 28. 1752.	St. Andrews. }	Nov. 1. 1763.	Feb. 7. 1764.
JAMES GRAINGER,	Mar. 14. 1753.	Edinburgh. }		

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THOMAS LIVINGSTONE, ...	Dec. 1752.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1764.	May 1. 1764.
ROBERT PETRIE,	May 30. 1750	Edinburgh.		
ANDREW WILSON,	June 29. 1749.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 7. 1764.	} Nov. 6. 1764.
MAXWELL GARTSHORE,...	May 8. 1764	Edinburgh.	June 12. 1764.	
JOHN GREGORY,	Mar. 13. 1746.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 5. 1765.	Aug. 6. 1765.
JOHN MORGAN,	July 18. 1763.	Edinburgh.		
JOHN STEEDMAN, ...	Nov. 15. 1740.	Rheims.	Aug. 7. 1764.	Nov. 5. 1765.
JAMES HAY,	Nov. 8. 1758.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1765.	Aug. 5. 1766.
JOSEPH BLACK,	June 11. 1754.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1767.	May 5. 1767.
ARTHUR NICOLSON,	Mar. 10. 1763.	Aberdeen.	May 5. 1767.	Aug. 4. 1767.
JAMES M'KITTRICK,	Sept. 12. 1766	Edinburgh.	Aug. 4. 1767.	Nov. 3. 1767.
WILLIAM SHIPPEN, jun.,...	Sept. 16. 1761.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 3. 1767.	Feb. 2. 1768.
WILL. MACFARLANE,...	{ Aug. 8. 1725.	Rheims.	Nov. 7. 1727.	Dec. 12. 1768.
JAMES SPENCE,	{ Mar. 15. 1727.	St. Andrews.		
JAMES AIKMAN,	Sept. 4. 1764.	St. Andrews.	Mar. 30. 1769.	Aug. 1. 1769.
JAMES LIND,	July 6. 1768.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1769.	May 1. 1770.
JAMES LIND,	Sept. 12. 1768	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1769	Nov. 6. 1770.
ANDREW DUNCAN,	Oct. 25. 1769	St. Andrews.	May 1. 1770.	May 7. 1771.
GEORGE TAILOUR,	Jan. 27. 1768	Glasgow.	Feb. 5. 1771.	May 7. 1771.
MARTIN ECCLES,	Aug. 21. 1753.	St. Andrews.	June 20. 1771.	Nov. 5. 1771.
WILLIAM BUCHAN,	June 2. 1761.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1771.	Nov. 3. 1772.
JAMES HAMILTON,	June 12. 1771.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 5. 1771.	Nov. 3. 1772.
NATHANIEL SPENS,	June 4. 1773.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 3. 1773.	July 7. 1774.
ROBERT HAMILTON,	May 12. 1766.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 3. 1773.	Feb. 1. 1774.
EDWARD SPRY,	Jan. 4. 1759	Aberdeen.	Feb. 1. 1774.	May 3. 1774.
JAMES HUNTER,	June 2. 1747.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 24. 1774.	July 14. 1774.
ROBERT LANGLANDS,	July 4. 1750	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1775.	May 7. 1776.
DAN. RUTHERFORD,	Sept. 12. 1772.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1776.	May 6. 1777.
JAMES GREGORY,	June 18. 1774.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1776.	May 6. 1777.
ARNOLD B. BEERENBROK,	June 24. 1774	Leyden.	Aug. 11. 1777.	Feb. 3. 1778.
MATTHEW POWELL,	Aug. 27. 1773	St. Andrews.	Nov. 4. 1777.	Aug. 4. 1778.
JAMES HAMILTON,	Aug. 13. 1771.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 2. 1779.	Feb. 1. 1780.
WILLIAM WRIGHT,	Oct. 25. 1763.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 1. 1780.	May 2. 1780.
THOMAS GILLESPIE,	Dec. 1. 1766.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 2. 1779.	Nov. 7. 1780.
THOMAS MEIK,	May 11. 1772.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 6. 1781.	May 1. 1781.
JOHN LIND,	Jan. 4. 1777.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 6. 1781.	May 1. 1781.
WILLIAM GRIEVE,	Sept. 12. 1770.	Edinburgh.	May 1. 1781.	May 7. 1782.
HENRY CULLEN,	June 24. 1780.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1782.	Nov. 5. 1782.
JOHN ELLISON,	Nov. 30. 1782.	St. Andrews.	May 6. 1783.	Aug. 5. 1783.
ROBERT STEVENSON,	June 24. 1778.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 5. 1783.	Nov. 4. 1783.
JOHN JO. SUE,	Aug. 26. 1783.	St. Andrews.	Sept. 1. 1783.	Nov. 4. 1783.
JOHN MARSHALL,	Aug. 26. 1783.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 4. 1783.	Dec. 4. 1783.
JAMES WOOD,	Sept. 12. 1776.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1784.	May 4. 1784.
ROBERT GRANT,	Aug. 24. 1780.	Aberdeen.	May 4. 1784.	Aug. 3. 1784.
ANDREW FARQUHARSON, ..	Oct. 27. 1784	St. Andrews.	Nov. 2. 1784.	Feb. 1. 1785.
THOMAS KERR,	Nov. 25. 1784.	Aberdeen.	Dec. 2. 1784.	Feb. 1. 1785.
JOHN CLARK,	June 7. 1773.	St. Andrews.	Mar. 23. 1785.	May 3. 1785.
WILLIAM FARQUHARSON,	Sept. 28. 1778.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 23. 1785.	May 3. 1785.
JAMES CAMPBELL, ...	Oct. 17. 1781.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 1. 1785.	Feb. 7. 1786.
HENRY M'LAGGAN,	Sept. 20. 1784.	Glasgow.	Nov. 1. 1785.	Feb. 7. 1786.
ROBERT FREER,	Feb. 23. 1779.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1786.	May 2. 1786.
DAVID MORTON,	Sept. 1. 1768.	Aberdeen.	May 2. 1786.	Aug. 1. 1786.
THOMAS STEVENSON,	July 24. 1786.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 1. 1786.	Nov. 7. 1786.
THOMAS COCHRANE,	Nov. 27. 1784.	Glasgow.	Nov. 7. 1786.	Nov. 6. 1787.
SAMUEL SPALDING,	Sept. 26. 1785.	St. Andrews.	May 1. 1787.	Aug. 7. 1787.

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GEO. BACHMATIEV,	Sept. 12. 1786.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 7. 1787.	Aug. 1. 1787.
THOMAS SPENS,	Sept. 13. 1784.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.
JOHN DRUMMOND,	June 8. 1786.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.
PAT. BARON SETON,	Sept. 12. 1787.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.
WILLIAM SPINK,	Aug. 1. 1788.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 5. 1788.	Aug. 19. 1788.
CHARLES STUART,	Sept. 12. 1781.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 4. 1783.	Feb. 3. 1789.
ALEX. HAMILTON,	Mar. 19. 1783.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1788.	Feb. 3. 1789.
ALEX. GRANT CLUGSTON,	Sept. 6. 1788.	St. Andrews.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Feb. 3. 1789.
JOHN CRAIGIE,	Dec. 27. 1788.	Aberdeen.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Feb. 3. 1789.
CHARLES WEBSTER,	Sept. 12. 1777.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1780.	May 5. 1789.
CHARLES CONGALTON,	April 4. 1771.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1788.	May 5. 1789.
THOMAS GILLIES,	July 28. 1788.	Aberdeen.	May 5. 1789.	Aug. 3. 1789.
JAMES CLARK,	Sept. 17. 1773.	Aberdeen.	May 5. 1789.	Aug. 3. 1789.
WILLIAM ROXBURGH,	Jan. 12. 1790.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 2. 1790.	Feb. 13. 1790.
GEORGE WILSON,	Jan. 2. 1790.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 3. 1790.	Nov. 3. 1790.
JOHN LORIMER,	Apr. 29. 1764.	St. Andrews.	May 3. 1791.	Aug. 2. 1791.
WIL. MONCRIEFF,	Sept. 12. 1768.	Edinburgh.	June 1. 1791.	.....
ANDREW FILLAN,	May 4. 1791.	Aberdeen.	June 1. 1791.	Aug. 2. 1791.
JAMES HOME,	Sept. 18. 1781.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1791.	Nov. 1. 1791.
JAMES CURRIE,	Mar. 30. 1780.	Glasgow.	Aug. 2. 1791.	.....
JO. COAKLEY LETSOM,	June 20. 1769.	Leyden.	Oct. 25. 1791.	Dec. 1. 1791.
NICOLAS BINDON,	Sept. 12. 1788.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 1. 1791.	.....
THOMAS ARNOLD,	Nov. 29. 1766.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 24. 1791.	.....
JOHN YULE,	Sept. 12. 1785.	Edinburgh.	.....	.....
JOSEPH FOX,	Feb. 1. 1783.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 7. 1792.	Mar. 6. 1792.
JAMES M'DONNELL,	Sept. 13. 1784.	Edinburgh.	.....	.....
JAMES HAMILTON, Jun.,	Feb. 8. 1792.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 17. 1792.	Mar. 6. 1792.
ANDREW YOUNG,	June 22. 1793.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 22. 1793.	Nov. 5. 1793.
JAMES M'KITTRICK } ADAIR,	Sept. 12. 1789.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 15. 1792.	Dec. 5. 1793.
ANGUS M'DONALD,	Jan. 10. 1789.	St. Andrews.	Dec. 5. 1793.	Feb. 3. 1794.
ALEX. PHILIP WILSON,	June 25. 1792.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1794.	Feb. 3. 1795.
JAMES BUCHAN,	Sept. 12. 1792.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 5. 1794.	Aug. 4. 1795.
JAMES GASKING,	June 10. 1789.	Leyden.	Oct. 27. 1795.	Feb. 2. 1796.
ALEX. STEWART,	Nov. 2. 1795.	St. Andrews.	Dec. 3. 1795.	Feb. 2. 1796.
SIR WALTER FARQU- HAR, Bart.,	Jan. 19. 1796.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 1. 1796.	May 3. 1796.
JO. HUTTON COOPER,	Mar. 12. 1796.	St. Andrews.	Mar. 15. 1796.	.....
SIR ALEX. DOUGLAS, } Bart.,	July 11. 1760.	St. Andrews.	May 10. 1796.	May 18. 1796.
THO. CHA. HOPE,	Sept. 12. 1787.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 5. 1795.	Nov. 1. 1796.
GEORGE DICKSON,	Aug. 8. 1796.	St. Andrews.	Sept. 6. 1796.	Dec. 1. 1796.
ANDREW DUNCAN,	Sept. 12. 1794.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 1. 1796.	.....
ANDREW KELTIE, .....	.....	Aberdeen.	.....	.....
ALEX. MONRO,	Sept. 12. 1797.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1797.	Nov. 30. 1797.
COLIN LAUDER,	July 24. 1786.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 30. 1797.	May 1. 1798.
GEO. GAVIN BROWN,	Aug. 22. 1797.	St. Andrews.	Dec. 6. 1798.	May 7. 1799.
ALEXANDER WILSON,	Dec. 17. 1796.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1799.	.....
MATTHEW POOLE,	Aug. 18. 1798.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 6. 1799.	Nov. 5. 1799.
ROBERT KENNEDY,	Sept. 12. 1794.	Edinburgh.	May 7. 1799.	Aug. 5. 1800.
WILLIAM KENNEDY,	April 12. 1800.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 5. 1800.	Nov. 4. 1800.
THOMAS JAMIESON,	Jan. 15. 1791.	Aberdeen.	Dec. 5. 1799.	Nov. 4. 1800.
NICOLAS ROMAYNE,	June 24. 1780.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 28. 1800.	Nov. 4. 1800.
ALEX. MORISON,	Sept. 12. 1799.	Edinburgh.	May 6. 1800.	May 11. 1801.
WILLIAM WARD,	Sept. 12. 1800.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1801.	May 5. 1801.

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JAMES ROBERTSON,	Oct. 14. 1794.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 30. 1802.	May 4. 1802.
DONALD SMITH,	May 6. 1785.	St. Andrews.	May 3. 1803.	Aug. 2. 1803.
OSWALD HUNTER,	June 24. 1803.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1803.	Nov. 1. 1803.
WILLIAM DICK,	Feb. 24. 1803.	Aberdeen.	June 1. 1804.	Nov. 6. 1804.
WILLIAM FRANKLIN,	July 7. 1795.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 7. 1804.	Nov. 6. 1804.
ROBINSON FOXLEY,	Oct. 8. 1804.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1805.	May 7. 1805.
JOHN GRAY,	May 11. 1805.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 6. 1805.	Nov. 5. 1805.
SAMUEL M'DOWELL,	June 14. 1805.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 6. 1805.	Nov. 5. 1805.
THOMAS BROWN,	Sept. 12. 1803.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1805.	Feb. 4. 1806.
ALEX. MACKENZIE,	Mar. 13. 1803.	St. Andrews.	May 6. 1806.	Aug. 5. 1806.
JOHN BARCLAY,	June 24. 1796.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 5. 1805.	Nov. 4. 1806.
WILLIAM WIGHTMAN, ...	June 3. 1790.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 5. 1806.	Nov. 4. 1806.
JAMES MACGREGOR,	Feb. 17. 1804.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 26. 1806.	May 5. 1807.
GEORGE ALLEY,	Apr. 11. 1807.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 3. 1807.	Feb. 2. 1808.
WILLIAM GOURLAY,	June 24. 1782.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 2. 1808.	May 3. 1808.
THOMAS GRAY,	April 7. 1800.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 2. 1808.	Nov. 1. 1808.
JOSHUA H. DAVIDSON, ...	June 24. 1807.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1808.	Aug. 1. 1809.
ALEXANDER WYLIE,	July 2. 1808.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 1. 1808.	Nov. 7. 1809.
ADAM BURT,	Mar. 26. 1808.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 1. 1809.	Nov. 7. 1809.
JOHN CHEYNE,	June 24. 1795.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 22. 1810.	May 1. 1810.
JAMES MUTTLEBURY, ...	Apr. 21. 1810.	St. Andrews.	May 1. 1810.	Aug. 7. 1810.
JAMES PROUD JOHNSON, ...	Sept. 23. 1805.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 7. 1810.	Nov. 6. 1810.
HENRY HARDIE,	Sept. 12. 1809.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1811.	May 7. 1811.
JAMES ANDERSON,	Sept. 21. 1810.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 6. 1810.	Nov. 5. 1811.
DAVID DANIEL DAVIS, ...	May 4. 1801.	Glasgow.	Feb. 4. 1812.	May 5. 1812.
JOHN BIGSBY,	June 2. 1810.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 4. 1812.	May 5. 1812.
WIL. ELFORD LEACH, ...	Jan. 18. 1812.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 4. 1812.	May 5. 1812.
WILLIAM FERGUSON,	Mar. 21. 1812.	St. Andrews.	May 5. 1812.	Aug. 4. 1812.
WIL. PULTENEY ALISON, ...	Sept. 12. 1811.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 5. 1811.	Nov. 3. 1812.
ALEX. MACLARTY,	Sept. 12. 1795.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1813.	May 4. 1813.
BENJAMIN BARTLET } BUCHANAN,	Sept. 12. 1808.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 4. 1812.	Aug. 3. 1813.
JOHN WARROCH PURSELL, ...	Sept. 12. 1798.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 2. 1813.	Aug. 3. 1813.
JOHN CLARK,	Aug. 5. 1806. Aug. 1. 1821.	St. Andrews. Edinburgh.	Mar. 2. 1813.	Aug. 3. 1813.
WILLIAM MAXTON,	Sept. 22. 1804.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 2. 1813.	Feb. 1. 1814.
JOHN WILLIAMSON,	Oct. 20. 1813.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 2. 1813.	Feb. 1. 1814.
SAMUEL FERGUSON,	Nov. 6. 1813.	St. Andrews.	Dec. 2. 1813.	May 3. 1814.
ROBERT BRIGGS,	Sept. 12. 1806.	St. Andrews.	Dec. 18. 1813.	May 3. 1814.
JOHN BOWEN,	Oct. 9. 1809.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 1. 1814.	May 3. 1814.
BENJAMIN LARA,	May 17. 1802.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 12. 1814.	Aug. 2. 1814.
GEORGE MAGRATH,	Aug. 3. 1805.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 2. 1814.	Nov. 1. 1814.
WILLIAM BEATTY,	Feb. 28. 1806.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 2. 1814.	Nov. 1. 1814.
HENRY DEWAR,	June 25. 1804.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1814.	Feb. 7. 1815.
ANTHONY LINDSAY,	Dec. 16. 1814.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1815.	May 2. 1815.
JAMES MURDOCH,	July 9. 1814.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 2. 1814.	Aug. 1. 1815.
ANDREW NICOLL,	Sept. 12. 1810.	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1815.	Aug. 1. 1815.
JOHN MURRAY,	Oct. 17. 1814.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 1. 1814.	Nov. 7. 1815.
GEORGE DRYSDALE,	June 1. 1815.	St. Andrews.	July 15. 1815.	Nov. 7. 1815.
HEN. EVANS HOLDER, ...	Aug. 24. 1801.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 7. 1815.	Feb. 6. 1816.
WILLIAM PYM,	Apr. 2. 1799.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 6. 1816.	May 7. 1816.
DAVID AIRD,	Sept. 12. 1805.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1816.	May 7. 1816.
ISAAC WILSON,	Dec. 23. 1796.	St. Andrews.	May 7. 1816.	Aug. 6. 1816.
DAVID JAMES HAMIL- } TON DICKSON,	Aug. 18. 1806.	Aberdeen.	May 7. 1816.	Aug. 6. 1816.

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ROBERT JOHN HUME, ...	Jan. 12. 1816.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 6. 1816.	Nov. 5. 1816.
JAMES CLARK,	Feb. 7. 1817.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 25. 1817.	Aug. 5. 1817.
WALTER OGILVIE,	Apr. 14. 1817.	St. Andrews.	May 6. 1817.	Aug. 5. 1817.
WILLIAM WYNNE,	Dec. 7. 1816.	St. Andrews.	May 6. 1817.	Aug. 5. 1817.
JOHN RAMSAY,	Sept. 12. 1810.	Edinburgh.	May 16. 1817.	Nov. 4. 1817.
PAT. CAMPBELL BAIRD, ...	Mar. 7. 1818.	St. Andrews.	May 5. 1818.	Aug. 4. 1818.
WILL. MONCRIEFF,	June 24. 1814.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 4. 1817.	Nov. 3. 1818.
SAMUEL SPROULE,	July 4. 1818.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 4. 1818.	Nov. 3. 1818.
WM. PRESTON LAUDER, ...	Mar. 4. 1809.	St. Andrews.	May 5. 1818.	May 4. 1819.
ANDREW KENNEY,	June 24. 1812.	Edinburgh.	May 5. 1818.	May 4. 1819.
JAS. THOS. BROWN WATT, ...	June 24. 1809.	Edinburgh.	Dec. 19. 1818.	May 4. 1819.
WALTER ADAM,	Aug. 1. 1816.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 3. 1818.	Nov. 2. 1819.
AUGUSTUS WEST,	Dec. 5. 1818.	St. Andrews.	Aug. 3. 1819.	Nov. 2. 1819.
EDWARD TURNER,	Aug. 2. 1819.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 3. 1819.	Nov. 2. 1819.
ALEX. KENNEDY,	Jan. 30. 1819.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 3. 1819.	May 2. 1820.
JAMES MILLAR,	June 24. 1795.	Edinburgh.	May 4. 1819.	May 2. 1820.
STEPH. MACMULLEN,	Jan. 7. 1815.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 1. 1820.	May 2. 1820.
JAMES GILLIES,	May 13. 1816.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 1. 1820.	May 2. 1820.
Sir JAS. RO. GRANT, ...	June 20. 1814.	Aberdeen.	May 2. 1820.	Aug. 1. 1820.
EBENEZER GAIRDNER, ...	Aug. 2. 1819.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 1. 1820.	Nov. 7. 1820.
ROBERT GRAHAM,	Sept. 12. 1808.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1820.	Feb. 6. 1821.
JAS. GEO. PLAYFAIR, ...	Aug. 2. 1819.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 1. 1820.	May 1. 1821.
JOHN BUTTER,	Aug. 1. 1820.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 7. 1821.	Nov. 6. 1821.
WILLIAM ARNOLD,	Oct. 4. 1821.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 6. 1821.	Feb. 5. 1822.
DAVID CAMPBELL,	Jan. 18. 1771.	Leyden.	Aug. 6. 1822.	Nov. 5. 1822.
ROBERT RENTON,	June 24. 1814.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1822.	Feb. 4. 1823.
ROBERT CHRISTISON, ...	Aug. 2. 1819.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1822.	Feb. 4. 1823.
THOMAS KIDD,	May 12. 1819.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 6. 1822.	Feb. 4. 1823.
JOHN ABERCROMBIE, ...	June 4. 1803.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1822.	Aug. 4. 1823.
ROBERT GROAT,	Sept. 12. 1783.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 5. 1822.	Nov. 4. 1823.
G. AUGUSTUS BORTH- WICK,	June 24. 1808.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 4. 1823.	Feb. 3. 1824.
ROBERT CARNEGIE,	Aug. 1. 1817.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 4. 1823.	Feb. 3. 1824.
JOHN YOUNG,	Apr. 10. 1823.	Glasgow.	May 6. 1823.	May 4. 1824.
THOMAS MAGRATH,	June 3. 1809.	St. Andrews.	May 4. 1824.	Aug. 3. 1824.
WILLIAM BEILBY,	Aug. 1. 1816.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 4. 1823.	Nov. 2. 1824.
EDWARD MILLIGAN,	Aug. 1. 1815.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 4. 1823.	Nov. 2. 1824.
JOHN MACWHIRTER,	Jan. 6. 1816.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 4. 1823.	Nov. 2. 1824.
THOMAS SHORTT,	Aug. 1. 1815.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1824.	Feb. 1. 1825.
JAMES WOOD,	Sept. 12. 1809.	Edinburgh.	May 4. 1824.	May 3. 1825.
ALEXANDER BOYLE,	Aug. 28. 1812.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 1. 1825.	May 3. 1825.
JOHN MURRAY,	Feb. 5. 1825.	Aberdeen.	May 3. 1825.	Aug. 2. 1825.
RICHARD POOLE,	Feb. 16. 1805.	St. Andrews.	Nov. 2. 1824.	Nov. 1. 1825.
ROBERT GRANT,	June 24. 1814.	Edinburgh.	Dec. 28. 1825.	Feb. 6. 1827.
RICHARD HAWLEY,	June 24. 1807.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 7. 1826.	Feb. 6. 1827.
JAMES MELLIS,	Jan. 4. 1806.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 7. 1826.	Feb. 6. 1827.
Sir AND ^w . HALLIDAY, ...	June 24. 1806.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 4. 1817.	Aug. 7. 1827.
JAMES MACDONALD,	May 21. 1806.	St. Andrews.	Feb. 5. 1828.	May 6. 1828.
JOHN THATCHER,	June 24. 1806.	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1815.	May 6. 1828.
JA. CRAWFURD GREGORY, ...	Aug. 2. 1824.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1827.	June 24. 1828.
PETER RAMSAY,	Mar. 3. 1817.	St. Andrews.	June 24. 1828.	Nov. 4. 1828.
WILLIAM GREGORY,	July 12. 1828.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 5. 1828.	Aug. 4. 1829.
ED. DUFFIN ALLISON, ...	Aug. 20. 1827.	Aberdeen.	Jan. 13. 1829.	Feb. 2. 1830.
JOHN THOMSON,	Jan. 11. 1808.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1815.	Aug. 3. 1830.
JOHN PRICE,	July 3. 1821.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 3. 1830.

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ROBERT LEWINS,	June 24. 1813.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 3. 1829.	Nov. 2. 1830.
DAVID BOSWELL REID,...	July 12. 1830.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1831.
JOHN MACKENZIE,.....	Aug. 2. 1824.	Edinburgh.	... ..	Nov. 1. 1831.
MONTGOMERY ROBERT } SON,	Oct. 16. 1829.	Aberdeen.	.....	Feb. 7. 1832.
ANDREW COMBE,	Aug. 1. 1825.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 1. 1832.
JOHN HUME PEEBLES, ...	Sept. 30. 1828.	Pisa.	.....	Aug. 7. 1832.
DAVID CRAIGIE,	Aug. 1. 1816.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 7. 1832.
PETER FAIRBAIRN,	Aug. 2. 1819.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 5. 1833.
THOS. STEWART TRAILL,	Sept. 13. 1802.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 7. 1833.
ALEX. GEORGE HOME, ...	Aug. 1. 1823.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 7. 1833.
JACOB D. HUNTER,	July 12. 1831.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 7. 1833.
PATRICK CHARLES,	July 12. 1828.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 6. 1833.
WILLIAM GLOVER,	Aug. 17. 1818.	St. Andrews.	.....	Aug. 6. 1833.
WILLIAM THOMSON,	Apr. 1. 1831.	Aberdeen.	.....	Oct. 12. 1833.
JOHN WILSON ANDERSON,	Aug. 1. 1820.	Edinburgh.	.....	Oct. 12. 1833.
JOHN SMITH,	Aug. 1. 1823.	Edinburgh.	.....	Oct. 12. 1833.
JAMES PATTERSON,	July 12. 1832.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1834.
J. D. MORRIES STIRLING,	July 12. 1831.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1834.
ROBERT SPITTAL,	Mar. 11. 1832.	Giessen.	.....	May 6. 1834.
JAMES BURNES,	Aug. 7. 1824.	St. Andrews.	.....	Sept. 23. 1834.
CHARLES RANSFORD,.....	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 3. 1835.
RALPH RICHARDSON, ...	Aug. 1. 1834.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 3. 1835.
ARCHIBALD ROBERTSON,	Aug. 1. 1817.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 4. 1835.
THOS. B. HARNESS,	Apr. 28. 1835.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 3. 1835.
WILLIAM MACDONALD, ...	Aug. 1. 1818.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1836.
SAMUEL HOBART,	Aug. 30. 1835.	Erlangen.	.....	Feb. 2. 1836.
JOHN TILSTONE,.....	Aug. 24. 1835.	Heidelberg.	.....	Aug. 2. 1836.
WILLIAM SELLER,	Aug. 1. 1821.	Edinburgh.	.....	Oct. 4. 1836.
JOHN REID,	July 12. 1830.	Edinburgh.	.....	Oct. 4. 1836.
JAMES YOUNG SIMPSON,	July 12. 1832.	Edinburgh.	.....	Oct. 4. 1836.
HENRY ATKINSON,	Aug. 1. 1835.	Erlangen.	.....	Oct. 4. 1836.
WILLIAM REID,	Aug. 2. 1824.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 7. 1837.
JOHN SPENS,	Aug. 1. 1835.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 7. 1837.
JAMES COX,	Aug. 1. 1835.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 7. 1837.
CHARLES BELL,	Apr. 27. 1836.	Glasgow.	.....	Feb. 7. 1837.
EDMUND B. LOCKYER, ...	July 8. 1836.	Jena.	.....	Feb. 7. 1837.
MARTIN BARRY,	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	.....	July 15. 1837.
JOHN MOIR,	July 12. 1828.	Edinburgh.	.....	July 15. 1837.
GEORGE PATERSON,	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	.....	July 15. 1837.
PATRICK ROLLAND,	May 28. 1837.	Keil.	.....	July 15. 1837.
JOHN HOME,	July 13. 1829.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 6. 1838.
WILLIAM HENDERSON, ...	July 12. 1831.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 6. 1838.
JAMES MARR,	Dec. 6. 1837.	St. Andrews.	.....	Feb. 6. 1838.
JOHN MACNAUGHT,	Apr. 7. 1815.	Aberdeen.	.....	Feb. 6. 1838.
JAS. LYNCH O'CONNER,...	Nov. 24. 1820.	Aberdeen.	.....	May 1. 1838.
JNO. T. INGLEBY,	May 28. 1838.	Heidelberg.	.....	Nov. 6. 1838.
ROB. GEO. HOLLAND, ...	June 12. 1838.	Erlangen.	.....	Nov. 6. 1838.
JNO. WARD DOWSLEY, ...	Feb. 11. 1826.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 6. 1838.
JOHN MILLER,	June 24. 1805.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 5. 1839.
ANDREW HENDERSON, ...	Aug. 1. 1823.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 5. 1839.
J. STEVENSON BUSHNAN,	May 14. 1836.	Heidelberg.	.....	Feb. 5. 1839.
RALPH F. AINSWORTH,...	Mar. 13. 1836.	Berlin.	.....	Feb. 5. 1839.
JAMES STARK,	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	May 7. 1839.
THOMAS RADFORD,	Apr. 4. 1839.	Heidelberg.	Aug. 6. 1839.

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KEITH IMRAY,	June 28. 1836.	Pisa.	Feb. 4. 1840.
JAMES ANDREW,	July 2. 1839.	Cambridge.	May 5. 1840.
ROB. BOWES MALCOLM,...	July 12. 1831.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 4. 1840.
GEORGE LUND,	Aug. 1. 1837.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 4. 1840.
EVAN P. CAMERON, .....	.....	.....	.....	Aug. 4. 1840.
THOMAS R. COLLEDGE,...	Dec. 16. 1839	Aberdeen.	.....	Aug. 4. 1840.
ALEXANDER WOOD,	Aug. 1. 1839.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 3. 1840.
JOHN WILLETT,	May 5. 1840.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 3. 1840.
JNO. ROSE CORMACK, ...	Aug. 1. 1837.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1841.
GEORGE HULL,	June 6. 1825.	St. Andrews.	.....	Feb. 2. 1841.
HENRY HAWKINS,.....	Mar. 16. 1838.	Erlangen.	.....	Aug. 3. 1841.
HENRY LONSDALE,.....	Aug. 1. 1838.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 3. 1841.
JNO. HUGHES BENNETT, ..	Aug. 1. 1837.	Edinburgh.	.....	Sept. 30. 1842.
DONALD MACFARLANE,...	Aug. 1. 1836.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 1. 1842.
WILLIAM ROBERTSON, ...	Aug. 1. 1839.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 7. 1843.
AN. HALLIDAY DOUGLAS,	Aug. 1. 1840.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 7. 1843.
J. G. M. BURT,	Nov. 9. 1836.	Giessen.	.....	May 2. 1843.
WILLIAM HALL RYOTT,...	Jan. 10. 1842.	Erlangen.	.....	May 2. 1843.
WILLIAM MACLEOD,	May 2. 1843.	St. Andrews.	.....	Aug. 1. 1843.
ALEXANDER JACKSON, ...	Aug. 1. 1838.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 7. 1843.
THEODORE F. WOOD,.....	Aug. 1. 1843.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 7. 1843.
JOHN BEEVOR,	Aug. 3. 1841.	St. Andrews.	.....	Feb. 6. 1844.
WILLIAM HUTCHESON, ...	Aug. 1. 1838.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 6. 1844.
W. M. ADAMS,	Aug. 9. 1843.	Giessen.	.....	Nov. 5. 1844.
JOHN SCOTT,	Aug. 1. 1820.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
EDWARD GREENHOW, ...	Sept. 24. 1835.	Erlangen.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
JOHN COLDSTREAM,	Aug. 1. 1827.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
ARCHIBALD MAKELLAR,	April 25. 1832.	Glasgow.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
ROBERT PATERSON,	Aug. 1. 1836	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
GEORGE S. KEITH,	Aug. 1. 1841.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1845.
WILLIAM BOWIE,	Sept. 12. 1812.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 6. 1845.
NEVILLE WOOD,	Aug. 1. 1844.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 6. 1845.
ALEXANDER PEDDIE,.....	Aug. 1. 1835.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 27. 1845
BEN. NORTH ARNOLD, ...	April 6. 1840.	Giessen.	.....	May 27. 1845
THOMAS SMITH MACCALL,	April 24. 1838.	St. Andrews.	.....	May 27. 1845.
THOMAS HUGHES,	Aug. 1. 1825.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 5. 1845.
WILLIAM MACKINNON, ...	Aug. 1. 1836.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 5. 1845.
THOMAS HEAD,	May 6. 1845.	St. Andrews.	.....	Aug. 5. 1845.
WILLIAM SCOTT,	May 6. 1845.	St. Andrews.	.....	Aug. 5. 1845.
SAMUEL D. LEES,	Aug. 1. 1837.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 4. 1845.
ALEXANDER SMITH,	Jan. 28. 1826.	Aberdeen.	... ..	Nov. 4. 1845.
JAMES G. HARRISON, ...	June 6. 1842.	Giessen.	.....	Nov. 4. 1845.
BENJAMIN ROBINSON, ...	May 7. 1839.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 4. 1845.
CHARLES CHADWICK, ...	Aug. 1. 1837.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 20. 1845.
J. CALTHROP WILLIAMS,	Aug. 2. 1824.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 20. 1845.
ROBERT BRENT,.....	July 1. 1845.	St. Andrews.	.....	Aug. 4 1846.
WILLIAM HENRY LOWE,	Aug. 1. 1840.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 4. 1846.
ALFRED CRABBE,	May 5. 1846.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 7. 1846.
JOHN FERGUSON,	June 1. 1815.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1847.
JOHN SCOTT,	Aug. 1. 1819.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1847.
JAMES BEGBIE,	Aug. 2. 1821.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1847.
JOHN TAYLOR,	July 12. 1830.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1847.
THOMAS GRAHAM WEIR,	Aug. 1. 1835.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 2. 1847.
THOMAS WRIGHT,	Aug. 1. 1845.	Edinburgh.	May 4. 1847.
JOHN BROWN,	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 3. 1847.

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EDWARD MACKAY,	Sept. 25. 1844.	Giessen.	Nov. 2. 1847.
NATH. ALLEN TRAVIS, ...	Aug. 1. 1825.	Edinburgh.	Dec. 2. 1847.
DAVID MACLAGAN,	Sept. 12. 1805.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 1. 1848.
FREDERICK BELL HUNT,	May 6. 1845.	St. Andrews.	.....	Feb. 1. 1848.
JAMES YORK,	Dec. 15. 1832.	Erlangen.	.....	May 1. 1848.
JAMES CHARLES HALL,...	June 27. 1840.	Erlangen.	.....	May 1. 1848.
CHAS. RADCLYFFE HALL,	Feb. 16. 1848.	Erlangen.	... ..	Aug. 1. 1848.
EDWARD WATERS,.....	Aug. 2. 1847.	Edinburgh.	.....	Aug. 1. 1848.
ALEXANDER KEILLER,...	Aug. 4. 1835.	St. Andrews.	.....	April 5. 1849.
C. LOCKHART ROBERTSON,	May 5. 1845.	St. Andrews.	.....	May 1. 1849.
THOMAS HILL PATTISON,	July 12. 1831.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 6. 1849.
JNO. YOUNG MYRTLE, ...	July 12. 1833.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 6. 1849.
SAMUEL SOMERVILLE, ...	Aug. 1. 1836.	Edinburgh.	.....	Nov. 6. 1849.
WILLIAM CUMMING,	Aug. 6. 1839.	St. Andrews.	.....	Nov. 6. 1849.
FORBES BENJ. WINSLOW,	April 13. 1849.	Aberdeen.	.....	Feb. 5. 1850.
WM. TENNANT GAIRDNER,	Aug. 1. 1845.	Edinburgh.	.....	May 7. 1850.
WM. CHARLES HOOD, ...	May 5. 1846.	St. Andrews.	.....	May 7. 1850.
ALEX. A. RENTON,	Aug 1. 1849.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 4. 1851.
JAS. MATTHEWS DUNCAN,	Oct. 16. 1846.	Aberdeen.	.....	May 6. 1851.
PETER NIDDRIE,	April 29. 1835.	Glasgow.	.....	Dec. 4. 1851.
JAS. W. BEGBIE,	Aug. 2. 1847.	Edinburgh.	.....	Feb. 3. 1852.

LIST
OF
HONORARY MEMBERS,

FROM THE ERECTION OF THE COLLEGE, WITH THE DATES OF THEIR ADMISSION.

N.B.—*The Record is wanting from December 1682 to the year 1694.*

Names of Honorary Members.	Dates of their admission.	Names of Honorary Members.	Dates of their admission.
EARL of MARCHMONT, ...	May 15. 1696.	M. DE SENAC,	Nov. 4. 1760.
LORD WHITEHILL,.....	.....	JOHN EARL of BUTE, ...	Nov. 3. 1761.
LORD ANSTRUTHER,	Nov. 6. 1699.	DR. JAMES MOUNSEY, ...	Nov. 2. 1762.
DR. DAVID GREGORY. ...	Aug. 22. 1705.	COUNT CARBURY,	Nov. 5. 1765.
DR. ROBERT GRAY,	Oct. 4. 1705.	SIR CHARLES LINNEUS, ...	Nov. 3. 1772.
SIR HANS SLOAN,	Oct. 4. 1705.	BARON ALBERT VON } HALLER,.....	Nov. 3. 1772.
EARL of WEMYSS,	Dec. 13. 1705.	HENRY DUKE of BUC- } CLEUCH,	Dec. 2. 1773.
LAIRD of POSSO,	Nov. 14. 1706.	DR. H. GAUBIUS,	Dec. 2. 1773.
EARL of LEVEN,.....	Apr. 22. 1707.	DR. JAS. FLINT, <i>ex officio</i> , May	3. 1774.
EARL of ERROLL,	June 3. 1707.	DR. ANT. STORK,	Nov. 5. 1776.
EARL of GLASGOW, .....	.....	DR. J. G. ZIMMERMAN,...	Dec. 5. 1782.
LORD PRESTONHALL,.....	June 18.1707.	DR. J. M. DE LASSONNE, Dec.	5. 1782.
LORD MINTO, .....	.....	SIR. JOS. BANKS, BART.,	
DR. JOHN ARBUTHNOT,...	Dec. 12. 1707.	DR. JOHN ROGERSON, ...	
DR. ALEX. RUSSELL,.....	Feb. 12. 1712.	GEORGE DUKE of MON- } TAGUE,	Dec. 17. 1782.
DR. WILL. COCKBURN, ...	May 5. 1724.	DR. P. CAMPER,	
DR. GEORGE CHEYNE, ...	.....	DR. FEL. VICQ. D'AZYR, Feb.	2. 1790.
DR. JAMES CAMPBELL, ...	May 2. 1727.	DR. JO. AND. MURRAY,	
DR. WILL. FULLERTON,...	Nov. 5. 1728.	DR. AUG. GOT. RICH- } TER,	Dec. 1. 1791.
DR. GEORGE MARTIN, ...	Aug. 5. 1740.	DR. JO. GOT. WALTER,...	
DR. DAVID BALFOUR, ...	Feb. 7. 1744.	SIR GEO. BAKER, BART., Mar.	27. 1792.
DR. JOHN JOHNSTON, ...	.....	COUNT RUMFORD,	Nov. 4. 1800.
DR. THOMAS SIMPSON, ...	Feb. 7. 1744.	DR. EDWARD JENNER, ...	May 20. 1806.
DR. RICHARD MEAD, ...	May 7. 1745.	DR. MATTHEW BAILLIE, Nov.	13. 1809.
DR. JAS. M'KENZIE,.....	Oct. 2. 1755.		
DR. JOHN HUXHAM,.....	Oct. 2. 1755.		
DR. G. VAN SWIETEN, ...	Nov. 4. 1755.		
ARCH. DUKE of ARGYLE, Nov.	30. 1758.		

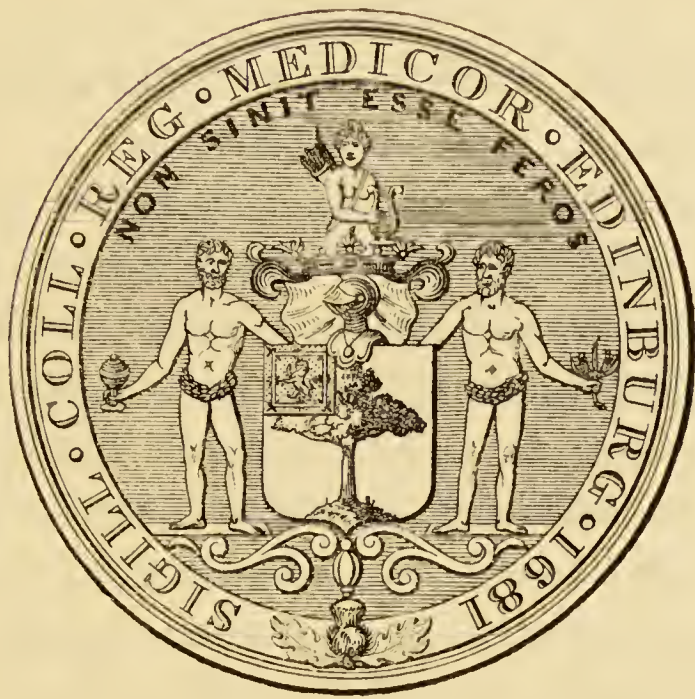
LIST
OF
PRESIDENTS OF THE COLLEGE
FROM ITS ERECTION.

DR. ARCHIBALD STEVENSON, elected President 8th December 1681,
and continued till 1684.

SIR ROBERT SIBBALD, elected 4th December 1684.

From 1684 to 1693 the Record is wanting.

Names of Presidents.	Dates of their Election.	Names of Presidents.	Dates of their Election.
SIR ARCH. STEVENSON,...	Nov. 30. 1693.	DR. JAMES HAY,	Nov. 30. 1786.
DR. ROBERT TROTTER, ...	Dec. 6. 1694.	DR. JOSEPH BLACK,	Dec. 4. 1788.
SIR THOMAS BURNET, ...	Dec. 3. 1696.	DR. AND. DUNCAN,	Dec. 2. 1790.
DR. MAT. SINCLARE, ...	Dec. 1. 1698.	DR. JAMES HAMILTON,...	Dec. 6. 1792.
DR. ROBERT TROTTER,...	Dec. 5. 1700.	DR. NATHANIEL SPENS,...	Dec. 4. 1794.
DR. ALEX. DUNDAS,	Dec. 3. 1702.	DR. D. RUTHERFORD, ...	Dec. 1. 1796.
DR. JAMES HALKET,.....	Nov. 30. 1704.	DR. JAMES GREGORY, ...	Dec. 6. 1798.
DR. WILLIAM ECCLES, ...	Dec. 5. 1706.	DR. WILL. WRIGHT,	Dec. 3. 1801.
DR. MAT. SINCLARE, ...	Dec. 2. 1708.	DR. THOMAS SPENS,	Dec. 1. 1803.
DR. WILL. STEWART, ...	Dec. 6. 1716.	DR. CHARLES STUART, ...	Dec. 4. 1806.
DR. JAMES FORREST, ...	Dec. 3. 1719.	DR. JAMES HOME,.....	Nov. 30. 1809.
DR. JOHN DRUMMOND,...	Dec. 6. 1722.	DR. J. HAMILTON, Jun.,...	Dec. 3. 1812.
DR. FRANCIS PRINGLE,...	Nov. 30. 1727.	DR. THOS. CHAS. HOPE,..	Nov. 30. 1815.
DR. JOHN RIDDELL,	Dec. 2. 1731.	DR. JAMES BUCHAN,.....	Dec. 2. 1819.
DR. ROBERT LOWIS,	Dec. 4. 1735.	DR. AND. DUNCAN, Jun.,	Dec. 5. 1822.
DR. JOHN CLERK,	Dec. 4. 1740.	DR. AND. DUNCAN, Sen.,	Dec. 4. 1824.
DR. WILL. COCHRAN, ...	Dec. 6. 1744.	DR. ALEX. MONRO,	Dec. 1. 1825.
DR. W. PORTERFIELD, ...	Dec. 1. 1748.	DR. ALEX. MORRISON, ...	Dec. 6. 1827.
DR. JO. RUTHERFORD, ..	Nov. 30. 1752.	D. J. H. DAVIDSON,	Dec. 3. 1829.
SIR ALEX. DICK,	Dec. 2. 1756.	DR. J. MACWHIRTER, ...	Dec. 1. 1831.
DR. ROBERT WHYTT, ...	Dec. 1. 1763.	DR. J. H. DAVIDSON, ...	Dec. 5. 1833.
SIR S. THRIEPLAND,	Dec. 4. 1766.	DR. JOHN THOMSON,.....	Dec. 4. 1834.
DR. JOHN BOSWELL,.....	Dec. 6. 1770.	DR. W. P. ALISON,	Dec. 1. 1836.
DR. COLIN DRUMMOND,...	Dec. 3. 1772.	DR. R. CHRISTISON,	Dec. 6. 1838.
DR. WILLIAM CULLEN,..	Aug. 3. 1773.	DR. R. GRAHAM,	Dec. 3. 1840.
DR. FRANCIS HOME,	Nov. 30. 1775.	DR. R. RENTON,	Dec. 1. 1842.
DR. GREGORY GRANT, ...	Dec. 4. 1777.	DR. W. BEILBY,	Dec. 5. 1844.
DR. ALEX. MONRO,	Dec. 3. 1779.	DR. R. CHRISTISON,	Dec. 3. 1846.
DR. JOHN GARDINER, ...	Dec. 5. 1782.	DR. W. SELLER,.....	Nov. 30. 1848.
DR. JOHN HOPE,	Dec. 2. 1784.	DR. J. Y. SIMPSON,	Dec. 5. 1850.



CHAPTER I.

OF THE COMMON SEAL.

1.

THE Seal whereof the above is an engraving, is the Seal of The Common Seal. this College ; and shall be affixed to all Testimonials, Licenses, Certificates, and other public acts of the College.

2.

The Common Seal shall be kept in the custody of the To be kept by Secretary. Secretary, and shall be affixed by him to such documents as the College, Council, or President shall direct.

CHAPTER II.

OF ORDINARY FELLOWS.

Who are eligible.

1. No one shall be elected a Fellow of the College, until he has obtained the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

Ordinary mode of Election.

2. Every motion for the election of a Fellow shall be made at a Quarterly Meeting, by one of the Fellows present, and seconded by another; and this motion shall be determined by ballot at the next Quarterly Meeting,—a majority of three-fourths being necessary to carry it in the affirmative.

Election in cases of urgency.

3. If an urgent reason be assigned, a Candidate may be proposed and balloted for on the same day on which his Petition is presented, or at an Extraordinary Meeting specially called for the purpose, provided intimation thereof has been given in the billet, and this proposal be agreed to by every Member present.

Taking of Seat.

4. No Fellow shall take his seat in the College, until the Quarterly Meeting after that on which he is elected,—intimation to attend being then sent to him by the Clerk.

Order on Roll.

5. The Fellows shall be placed on the Roll, according to the dates of their admissions; and, when two or more Fellows are admitted on the same day, they shall be entered on the Roll according to the dates of their diplomas; and if their diplomas be of the same date, they shall be enrolled according to seniority.

Removal of Names from Roll.

6. Any Fellow may petition that his name be taken off the Roll of Attendance; which petition shall be considered at next Quarterly Meeting, a majority of three-fourths being necessary to negative it.

Replacing of Name on Roll.

7. Any Fellow, not on the Roll of attending Members, may have his name replaced by a motion to that effect, made at a Quarterly Meeting; and this motion shall be determined at the next Quarterly Meeting, a majority of three-fourths being necessary to carry it.

8. Any Fellow leaving Edinburgh for a length of time, and

omitting to make the necessary application to have his name taken off the Roll of attending Members, or wishing the same to be continued on it during his absence, shall be charged with his Annual Contributions.

Fellows leaving Edinburgh may have their names taken off the Roll.

9. Fellows whose names have been taken off the roll of attending Members, or who are in arrear of their contributions or fines, shall be deprived of the use of the Library and Reading-room.

Not to use Library or Reading-room;

10. Non-Resident Fellows, or Resident Fellows whose names have been removed from the Roll of Attendance, on coming to reside in Edinburgh for a period not exceeding six months, may, with consent of the Council, be allowed the use of the Library and Reading-room.

except with consent of the Council.

11. Fellows not on the Roll of Attendance, who reside permanently, but do not practise in Edinburgh, may, with the consent of the Council, be allowed the use of the Library and Reading-Room on payment of the Annual Contribution.

Non-Resident Fellows may, with consent of Council, use the Library.

12. Every Fellow before taking his seat in the College, must sign the Promissory engagement, Appendix, No. I.

Fellows must sign the Promissory Engagement.

13. Petitions for admission as Fellows from Graduates of the British or Irish Universities, who propose to reside and practise in Edinburgh, shall be in the form given in the Appendix, No. II.

Forms of Petition.

14. Every Candidate for the Fellowship who has not received his Degree from a British University, shall be subjected to examination. He shall, for this purpose, apply to the Secretary, and, provided the Report of the Examiners to the Council is satisfactory, his petition, drawn up according to one or other of the forms given in the Appendix, Nos. IV. or V., shall be presented to the College at its next Quarterly Meeting, and the further proceedings thereupon shall be as prescribed in laws 2 and 3 of this section.

Examination of Graduates of Foreign Universities.

15. An Examination, however, may be dispensed with on a motion by a Fellow, provided the motion be intimated in the billet summoning the Meeting, and be carried unanimously.

Examination may be dispensed with.

16. The Examiners shall consist of the President and six

The Examiners.

Fellows nominated annually by the Council at the Meeting for the election of the other Office-Bearers of the College.

The order of Examination of Graduates of Foreign Universities.

17. The examination may be concluded at one Meeting, or with such adjournments as may seem advisable to the Examiners, and shall consist:—

1st, Of a dissertation in English on some subject in the practice of Physic selected by the Examiners, and written by the Candidate in an apartment in the College Hall, under the superintendence of the Examiners.

2d, Of a *viva voce* examination in English, chiefly on the symptoms, nature, and treatment of Diseases, and also on Anatomy, Chemistry, Botany, and Physiology.

3d, The Examiners may also institute such examination as they consider advisable for satisfying themselves that the Candidate has received a competent general education.

Mode of Election of a Graduate of a Foreign University.

18. The examinations being concluded, the Examiners shall decide by a simple majority of those present, (the Chairman having both a deliberative and a casting vote,) whether the result of the examination has been such as to entitle him to be proposed for the Fellowship; and if their decision be favourable, he may be proposed at the Quarterly Meeting following the one at which his Petition was presented, and the ballot may be taken forthwith if the intention of so doing was announced in the billet summoning the Meeting. A majority of three-fourths of the Fellows present shall be requisite to carry the motion.

Record of Examination to be kept.

19. The Examiners shall keep a record of the Examinations with the state of the vote, a copy of which shall be laid before the Council, and by the Council before the College at the Meeting at which the ballot is to take place. In the case of unsuccessful Candidates, a record shall be entered by the Examiners in their Book, and communicated to the Council, but no copy of this shall be laid before the College.

20. The Diplomas presented by the College to their resident Form of Diplomas.
ordinary Fellows shall be in the terms given in Appendix, No. VI.

CHAPTER III.

OF NON-RESIDENT FELLOWS.

1. No Physician, residing in Edinburgh, or practising within Must not reside in Edinburgh.
Edinburgh, Leith, or their suburbs, shall be eligible for a Non-Resident Fellowship.

2. When a Candidate for the rank of a Fellow, who is a Graduate of a British or Irish University, does not intend to reside or practise in Edinburgh, his petition shall be in the form of Appendix, No. III. If his Diploma is from a Foreign University, his petition shall be in the form of Appendix, No. V. Form of Petition.

3. The mode of election of a Non-Resident Fellow shall be the same as that of a Resident Fellow; and the laws regarding examination, in the case of a foreign degree, shall also apply to him. Mode of Election.
Vide Chap. II.

4. When any Non-Resident Fellow shall come to reside and practise in Edinburgh, Leith, or the suburbs thereof, he shall make written application to the Secretary to be admitted to the privileges of a Resident Fellow, and lodge with the Treasurer the difference between the Sum charged for the Diploma of a Resident and Non-Resident Fellowship. At the next Quarterly Meeting thereafter this petition shall be decided by ballot; a majority of three-fourths being necessary to grant the application. If he is then admitted to the privileges of a Resident Fellow, he shall, at the next meeting of the College, sign the usual Promissory Obligation, and his name shall be placed on the Roll of Attendance according to the date of his admission as a Resident Fellow. Regulations for Non-Resident Fellows coming to reside in Edinburgh.

5. The Diplomas presented by the College to their Non-Resident Fellows shall be in terms of Appendix, No. VII. Diploma of Non-Resident Fellows.

CHAPTER IV.

OF HONORARY FELLOWS.

Professors of Medicine entitled to claim to be Honorary Fellows.

Professors of Medicine in the British and Irish Universities are *ex-officio* entitled to the rank of Honorary Fellows; on making application to the President of the College, and paying the stamp required by Government for the Diploma and other necessary expenses. In this case they shall receive a Letter in terms of Appendix, No. VIII.

CHAPTER V.

OF LICENTIATES.

Must have a Degree.

1. No one can be a Licentiate of the College, who has not previously obtained the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

Graduates of British or Irish Universities to be admitted without Examination.

2. Graduates of the British and Irish Universities, are entitled to be admitted as Licentiates, without any previous trial or examination.

Petitions of Resident Licentiates.

3. Petitions for admission as Licentiates from Gentlemen who propose to reside and practise in Edinburgh, shall be in the form of Appendix, Nos. II. or IV.

Petition of Non-Resident Licentiates.

4. Petitions for admission as Licentiates from gentlemen who do not propose to reside in Edinburgh, shall be in the form of Appendix, Nos. III. or V.

CHAPTER VI.

OF THE FEES.

Fee of Licentiates.

1. The Fee to be paid by a Resident or Non-Resident Licentiate, is £55, and stamp to Government, £15.

Fee of Resident Fellows.

2. The Fee to be paid to the College on election of a Resident Fellow, is £105, and stamp to Government, £25.

3. The Fee to be paid by a Non-Resident Fellow, is £55, and stamp to Government, £25. Fee of Non-Resident Fellows.

4. When a Non-Resident Fellow shall be raised to the rank of Resident Fellow, he shall pay £50 additional to the College. When a Non-Resident becomes a Resident Fellow.

5. When a Resident Licentiate shall be raised to the rank of a Resident Fellow, he shall pay £50 in addition to the License Fee, and £25 of Government Tax for the Fellow's Diploma. When a Resident Licentiate becomes a Fellow.

6. When a Non-Resident Licentiate shall be raised to the rank of Non-Resident Fellow, no additional Fee shall be paid, except the stamp-duty to Government. No Fee when a Non-Resident Licentiate becomes a Non-Resident Fellow.

7. All applicants for Licenses, and all Candidates for Fellowship, must lodge their Fees, and the amount of stamp-duty payable at the time to Government, with the Treasurer previously to presenting their petitions. Fees to be lodged with the Treasurer, previously to the petition being presented.

CHAPTER VII.

OF FORFEITURE OF FELLOWSHIPS.

1. Any Fellow of the College who shall, by himself, copartners, or servants, keep a public Apothecary's, Druggist's, or Chemist's shop, shall, *ipso facto*, forfeit all the rights and privileges which he does or may enjoy as a Fellow or Licentiate of the College, and his name shall be expunged from the List. Keeping a Public Shop involves forfeiture of Fellowship or License.

2. Any Fellow of the College, who shall act in a manner unbecoming the character of a Physician, may be deprived of his Fellowship. In which case the following form shall be observed:—A Motion to that effect must be made and seconded at one Meeting, and determined *viva voce* at another Meeting called for the purpose; the object of both Meetings being announced in the billets, which must be circulated one week previously; and it shall require a majority of three-fourths of the Fellows present to carry the motion. A Copy of the motion must be suspended in the Council-Room during the above period. Mode of depriving of the Fellowship.

CHAPTER VIII.

ON THE ELECTION OF OFFICE-BEARERS.

By a Plurality of
voices.

1. At the Annual Meeting for the election of Office-Bearers, (*Vide* Chap. X., No. 1.) the Fellows present shall, by a plurality of voices, choose seven of their number as the Council of the College, and Electors of the other Office-Bearers.

Council to choose
Office-Bearers.

2. These Electors shall retire to another room, and make choice of a President, (who must be one of the Electors,) Two Censors, a Treasurer, a Secretary, Procurator Fiscal, a Curator of Museum, a Librarian, an Under-Librarian, Examiners of Foreign Graduates, a Clerk, and an Officer,—each to continue in Office for one year.

Nomination of Vice-
President.

3. When the Electors return, the Clerk shall announce the names of the Office-Bearers; after which the newly elected President shall take the Chair, and nominate a Vice-President.

President not to hold
office for more than
two years consecu-
tively.

4. The same Member may be elected President for two years successively, but not for any longer consecutive period, unless by the unanimous consent of the Council. But the same Member may be re-elected after having been out of Office for two years.

No restriction on
other Office-Bearers.

5. The other Office-Bearers may be re-elected for an unlimited number of years.

CHAPTER IX.

OF THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE OFFICE-BEARERS.

§ 1. *The President.*

To be addressed
by the speakers.

1. The President shall be addressed by those who speak in the Meetings.

2. He shall keep order, regulate the Debates, suggest Members of Committees, call the votes when necessary, and declare in what manner the question is determined. To regulate the Debate and name the Committees.

3. He shall have one vote as an Ordinary Member, and a casting vote in case of an equal division. To have an ordinary and casting vote.

4. He shall not originate or second any Motion while acting as Chairman. Cannot originate or second a motion.

5. He shall appoint all Committees, and shall be *ex-officio* a Member and Chairman of every Committee. How nominated.

6. If the College have occasion to sue or defend in any Court of Justice, the suit shall be carried on in the name of the President of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh. Suits to be carried on in his name.

7. He shall sign all Diplomas issued by the College. To sign Diplomas.

§ 2. *The Censors.*

The two Censors, with the President, are authorized by the Charter of the College to call before them unlicensed Practitioners, and to sit as Judges upon them,—on giving notice to the Magistrates of Edinburgh, who may appoint one of the Bailies to sit as an Assessor. Their authority by the Charter.

§ 3. *Of Committees.*

1. At the appointment of every Committee (except standing Committees,) a time shall be fixed for the business being finished which the College entrusts to it. To be restricted as to time.

2. No expenses shall be incurred by Committees without a special vote of the College, and a limitation of the sum to be expended. Not to incur expense without a special vote of the College.

3. Committees appointed at one Quarterly Meeting shall bring up written reports to the next Quarterly Meeting, unless it has been otherwise determined. When to report.

§ 4. *The Treasurer.*

1. The Treasurer shall receive, disburse, and be accountable for, all the money of the College. Accountable for all the Funds.

- May defray ordinary expenses without a special vote. 2. He may pay, without any special order, the ordinary expenses of the College, but shall not pay or disburse any other sum without previous direction to that effect from the Council.
- Accounts to be balanced and audited. 3. He shall balance his Accounts every year on the 25th day of January, or, if that day shall happen to be Sunday, on the 24th January, and shall deliver, or cause to be delivered to the Quarterly Meeting in February a Report signed by at least two of the Auditors of Accounts, containing his Charge and Discharge of the money belonging to the College, with a true state of his Accounts.
- Book of Annual Expenditure. 4. He shall keep a regular Book of Accounts, containing the various items of Income and Expenditure for the year, which Book shall be produced yearly at the February Meeting.
- Book of Capital Account. 5. He shall keep a Book containing a statement of the Capital Account, which Book shall also be produced yearly at the February Meeting.
- Must lodge all funds above £20 in bank. 6. He may retain £20 in his hands; but any surplus above that shall be lodged in the Banking-house where the Cash-account of the College is kept; and when the funds so lodged shall amount to £300, they shall be lent out on heritable, or such other good security, as the Trustees may approve.
- Cannot overdraw Bank-account without authority of Council. 7. If at any time he shall have occasion to overdraw the Cash-account of the College, he shall first obtain the authority of the Council for so doing, and be furnished with a certified excerpt of the minute, to be lodged with the Bank as their authority from the College for making such advance.
- Latitude as to repairs. 8. He may expend the sum of £5 on such repairs on the buildings as may be necessary, but when the expense exceeds that sum he shall previously obtain the authority of the Council.
- Vouchers to be lodged in safe. 9. All papers and vouchers relating to the property of the College, shall be lodged by the Treasurer in the safe of the College, and the key retained by him.
- Report of Accounts to be entered in Minutes. 10. After the Treasurer's accounts shall be approved of, he shall see that the Report be regularly transcribed by the Clerk into the Minute-Book of the College.

11. He shall, previously to the last Meeting of Council before the Quarterly Meeting in November of each year, give to the Clerk a list of the Trustees who may have been absent from any of the Meetings, in order that the penalties exigible from them may be collected and included in the Annual Statement of the contributions and fines.

To keep a list of Trustees absent from the Meetings.

12. On the resignation or retirement of the Treasurer, his Books and relative Vouchers shall be examined by a Committee appointed for the purpose, and if found correct, he shall be exonerated from his intromissions with the Funds of the College. He shall also hand over all documents and papers in his custody, with a proper inventory thereof to his successor in office, whose receipt for the same shall free him from all further responsibility regarding them.

Proceedings consequent on a change of Treasurer.

§ 5. *The Auditors.*

1. A Committee shall be nominated annually by the President at the Quarterly Meeting in November, consisting of the President and two of the Fellows, to examine the Treasurer's Accounts, and to report thereon in writing to the College at the Quarterly Meeting following.

How appointed, and their duties.

2. Besides comparing the Accounts with the Vouchers, and ascertaining their accuracy, the Auditors shall give a report in writing of the actual state of the Funds, with any observations which may occur to them respecting their management, or with regard to the reduction of the annual expenditure of the College.

To report on state of Funds.

§ 6. *The Trustees.*

1. The Trustees shall consist of the Treasurer, and four Fellows to be selected by the Council, subject to the approval of the College.

How appointed.

2. All property belonging to the College, whether in cash or otherwise, shall, with the exception of the amount allowed to be retained in the Bank and in the Treasurer's hands, (see Chap. IX., Sect. 4, law 6,) be vested in the Trustees.

All property to be vested in them.

Stated and occasional meetings.

3. They shall hold two stated meetings in the year, viz. :—on the second Tuesday of May and November, and shall also meet at such other times as the duties imposed upon them in regard to the property of the College (Chap. XIV., laws 3 to 5,) may require.

Vacancies, how to be filled up.

4. On a vacancy occurring in the Office of Trustee by death, resignation, or otherwise, the Council shall, within a month, nominate a successor, subject to the approval of the College at its next Meeting.

§ 7. *The Secretary.*

To manage correspondence.

1. The Secretary shall take charge of all the correspondence of the College, and cause copies of all his important letters to be entered by the Clerk, or otherwise, in the Letter Book of the College.

To keep minutes of Meetings of College.

2. He shall, at all Meetings of the College or Council, take himself, or cause to be taken by the Clerk, minutes of the proceedings, and shall see that they are properly extended, and, after approval, engrossed in the respective minute books.

To submit the opinion of the Council to the College.

3. He shall submit to the College, the opinion of the Council on all motions or other business which has been considered by them, and shall give such explanations to the College as the Council may direct.

To sign all diplomas.

4. He shall, in conjunction with the President, sign all Diplomas issued by the College.

To keep the Diploma plates.

5. He shall keep under his custody the copperplates on which are engraved the forms of Diplomas for Fellows and Licentiates, and also the lithographed or printed forms of Petition for the Fellowship or License.

To keep the College Minute-books, letters, and papers.

6. He shall keep under his custody, in the safe of the College, the various Minute Books, Letters, and papers belonging to the College. The Current Letter Book and Minutes of Council he may keep in his own house, but the Minute-Book of the College is, on no account whatever, to be removed from the building.

7. He shall allow access to these Minutes at all times to the Fellows of the College. Other parties shall only be permitted to inspect them on making written application to the Council and receiving its sanction. To allow access to the Minutes to Fellows.

8. He shall direct the Clerk to summon Meetings of the College and Council, and shall furnish him with a list of the business to be transacted at each Meeting, in order that it may be duly entered in the billets by which the Meeting is called. He shall also previously to each Quarterly or Extraordinary Meeting of the College, cause a programme of the business to be suspended in the Reading-room. To arrange for summoning Meetings of College or Council.

9. He shall previously to the Meeting of Council before the Quarterly Meeting of the College in November of each year, give to the Clerk a list of Members of the Council, who may have been absent at any of the Meetings, in order that the fines exigible from them may be collected and included in the annual statement of the contributions and fines. To report absentees from Meetings of Council.

§ 8. *Procurator-Fiscal.*

The Procurator-Fiscal shall have the charge of all the legal proceedings of the College.

§ 9. *The Librarian.*

1. The Librarian shall have the general control of the Library, and superintend the ordering of Books, and the performance of the duties of the Library by the Under-Librarian and Officer. To have control of Library.

2. He shall, previously to the Meeting of Council before the Quarterly Meeting of the College in November of each year, give to the Clerk a list of Members of the Library Committee who may have been absent from any of the Meetings of the Committee, and also of those Fellows who may have committed any breach of the regulations of the Library, in order that the fines exigible from them may be collected and included in the Annual Statement of the contributions and fines. To Register absentees from Library Committee.

§ 10. *Under-Librarian.*

- Hoursofattendance. 1. The Under-Librarian shall attend at least one stated hour daily, from 4 to 5 o'clock, P.M., for giving out and receiving Books, and performing all other duties devolving on him under the Regulations for the Library.
- Registers to be kept. 2. He shall regularly enter all Books, purchased or presented to the College, in the Library Journal kept for that purpose, and in the alphabetical Catalogue.
- To execute instructions of Librarian. 3. He shall receive and execute the instructions of the Librarian and Library Committee regarding the concerns of the Library; and shall also attend Meetings of the Library Committee when required.

§ 11. *The Clerk.*

- To attend Meeting of College or Council. 1. The Clerk shall attend all the Meetings of the College, the Quarterly Meetings of the Council, and such other Meetings of the Council, or of any of the Committees which may require his assistance.
- To call Roll. 2. He shall call the Roll at the commencement and close of each Meeting of the College, and register the fines against those who are late, or absent.
- To read Minutes and Petitions. 3. He shall, at each Meeting of the College, read the Minutes of the former Meeting, and any Petitions of Candidates for admission as Fellows or Licentiates.
- To keep Minutes. 4. He shall, at each Meeting of the College, minute the proceedings, and shall subsequently extend them under the direction of the Secretary.
- To submit Minutes to Council. 5. He shall submit the draft of the minute so prepared to the Quarterly Meeting of Council previously to its being read at the next Quarterly Meeting of the College. He shall, within four days after each minute has received the sanction of the College, cause it to be engrossed in the Minute-Book.
- To engross Minutes in the Minute-book. 6. He shall, when directed by the Secretary, copy all letters or other documents which the interests of the College may require.
- To copy all documents required by College.

7. He shall, on or before the Quarterly Meeting in November, To collect fines. annually collect all the fines incurred by Fellows, and shall keep a regular statement of them and of the contributions, which he shall annually submit to the Committee for auditing the Accounts.

8. He shall engross all financial statements that have been To engross Financial Statements. approved of by the College, in the Account and Minute-Book of the College.

9. He shall issue the billets summoning the Meetings of the To issue Billets. College, with such list of the business to be transacted as shall be furnished him by the Secretary.

10. He shall, before the 31st of January of each year, arrange To arrange Papers. the Papers and Vouchers of the College for the past year, and shall prepare an index of the same to be given to the Secretary To prepare Annual Index to Minutes. for custody.

11. For these services he shall receive an annual salary of Salary. £25 Sterling.

§ 12. *The Officer.*

1. He shall be elected by the Council, and hold his office How to be chosen. during their pleasure.

2. He shall reside in the apartments provided for him in the Col- To reside in College. lege; and shall give his whole time to the performance of the business of the College.

3. He shall keep the Hall, and other apartments of the College To keep the apartments in order. clean and in good order, and shall attend at the door at every Meeting.

4. He shall be ready at all times to give out Books to Fellows To give out books. on receipt under the regulations in Chap. XV.

5. He shall have the apartments ready for the use of the Fel- To open College. lows every morning at 10, A.M.

6. He shall put out all lights, and see that the fires are To shut College. properly extinguished, and the College shut every evening at 10, P.M.

7. Besides coal, gas, and apartments, he shall receive such Salary. salary as the Council may appoint.

CHAPTER X.

OF THE MEETINGS OF THE COLLEGE.

Election Meeting.

1. A Meeting of the College shall be held annually, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, on St. Andrew's Day, if it shall happen to fall on a Thursday; and, if not, on the first Thursday thereafter,—for the sole purpose of electing Office-Bearers for the year ensuing.

Quarterly Meetings.

2. Besides the Election Meeting, there shall be held four stated Quarterly Meetings, viz., on the first Tuesday of February, May, August, and November, at Three o'clock in the afternoon.

Arrangement of business for Quarterly Meetings.

3. On the Friday preceding each Quarterly Meeting, the Council shall meet in the Hall at such hour as the Council may from time to time determine, to consider the business which is to be brought before the College on the Tuesday following, and to instruct the Secretary or Clerk what notices are to be circulated in the billets, which shall be issued on the Friday evening.

By whom the business is to be managed.

4. The business of the College shall be managed solely by the Ordinary Fellows on the Roll of Attendance, seven of whom are necessary to form a quorum.

Chairman.

5. Each Meeting shall be constituted by the President or Vice-President, or, in their absence, by the eldest Fellow present, taking the Chair at the hour appointed.

Extraordinary Meetings.

6. The President may call Extraordinary Meetings of the College when he thinks necessary.

May be called on a Requisition by six Fellows.

7. The Secretary shall be bound to call an extraordinary Meeting of the College at any time on receiving a requisition to that effect signed by six Resident Fellows, whose names are on the Roll of Attendance. Such requisition must state the object for which the Meeting is to be held.

Meetings of Council.

8. The President, Secretary, or Treasurer, may, severally, call a meeting of the Council when they think it necessary.

CHAPTER XI.

OF THE ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. The Clerk shall call the Roll of attending Ordinary Roll Call.
Fellows, and fine those who are absent.

2. He shall, at Quarterly Meetings, read the Minutes of the Minutes of former
last Quarterly Meeting, and of all subsequent Meetings, which, Meetings.
when approved of, shall be signed by the President.

3. Petitions of Candidates for admission as Fellows or Li- Petitions.
centiates shall be considered.

4. Motions and Ballots for Fellowship shall take place. Proposal and Ballots
for Fellows.

5. Reports of Committees shall be received; and,

6. Any other business, previously proposed, according to Miscellaneous busi-
the laws, shall be brought forward by the Secretary. (*Vide* ness.
Chap. XII.)

7. Notice of all business to be transacted at the Meetings of Notice of all busi-
the College shall be given in the billets. ness to be given in
billets.

CHAPTER XII.

MOTIONS AND LAWS.

1. When any Fellow wishes to submit a motion to the Procedure in regard
consideration of the College, he must deliver it in writing to to Motions.
the Secretary, who shall lay it before the next Meeting of the To be first considered
Council, and shall afterwards report it, with the opinion of by the Council.
the Council thereon, at the ensuing Quarterly Meeting of the
College, or at any extraordinary Meeting called for the purpose,
when it shall be determined by the votes of a majority.

2. These regulations are not intended to apply to motions Exceptions.
founded on reports from the Council or Committees brought in
due course before the College, (unless a change of law is in-

volved in them); or to amendments arising in the course of discussion upon any motion.

Procedure in regard
to Motions for al-
tering Laws.

3. If the motion relate to the establishment of a permanent Regulation or Law, or to the abrogation or change of a law, it shall contain a specification of all the laws so affected by it, and of the alterations contemplated in each; and if, on discussing the matter, it is found that such specification is incomplete, the discussion shall be adjourned till next Ordinary Meeting, unless the College, by a majority of three-fourths, decide otherwise. The motion shall be considered at three several Meetings before it be determined upon. But if the College shall unanimously approve of the motion, it may be immediately adopted as a temporary regulation, till it shall receive the full sanction of the College.

Vote of the College.

4. All questions shall be determined by the votes of a majority, excepting in such cases as are otherwise provided for by the laws.

Restriction on
speaking.

5. No Fellow shall speak oftener than once on each Motion, except the Mover who shall have a right to reply.

CHAPTER XIII.

OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS AND FINES.

For absence at Elec-
tion or Quarterly
Meeting.

1. Every Member who shall be absent during the Meeting for Election, or during any of the Quarterly Meetings, shall pay a Fine of 2s. 6d.

For absence at Ex-
traordinary Meeting.

2. Every Member who shall be absent during an Extraordinary Meeting, shall be fined 1s.

Fine for not ans-
wering to Name.

3. Every Member who shall not answer to his name when the Roll is called at the beginning or end of every Meeting, shall be fined 6d.

Fine for leaving
Meeting.

4. Any Member leaving the Room at any of the Meetings of the College before the President has declared the Meeting ended, shall be fined 1s.; if from an Extraordinary Meeting, 6d.

5. If the Clerk shall be absent without an excuse satisfactory to the College, and without sending a properly qualified substitute, he shall pay a fine of 5s. Fine for absence of Clerk.

6. At the Quarterly Meetings of Council, any Member of Council absent during the whole Meeting shall be fined 2s. 6d., and at all other Meetings of Council, 1s. Every Member absent when the Roll is called, at the beginning or end of the Council Meetings, shall be fined 6d. For absence from Council.

7. Members absent from a Meeting of the Library or Museum Committee shall be fined 1s. for every such absence. For absence from Library or Museum Committee.

8. Trustees absent from a Meeting of Trustees shall be fined 2s. 6d. for every such absence. For absence from Meeting of Trustees.

9. No excuses shall be sustained for absence from the Meetings, excepting being confined to the house by sickness, or being absent from Scotland. For excuses for absence.

10. Each Fellow on the Roll of attending Members shall pay annually, at the Quarterly Meeting held in November, One Guinea of contribution, and such fines as he may have incurred. For annual Contribution.

11. Any Fellow who may be in arrear of his Annual Contributions and Fines for a longer period than two years, shall, after due intimation having been given twice to him, at the interval of a month, be deprived of the use of the Library and Reading room, and of the privilege of attending the Meetings of the College, and have his name struck off the list of attending Members. No Fellow who is in arrear of his contribution and fines for two years, shall be allowed to vote at the election of Office-Bearers. Penalties for being in arrears.

CHAPTER XIV.

OF THE PROPERTY OF THE COLLEGE.

1. No motion tending to alienate any part of the property of the College, or apply it to other than the ordinary purposes of the College, shall be discussed except at Extraordinary Meetings Motions tending to alienate the property of the College.

called for the purpose, at which all Ordinary Fellows, whether on the Roll or not, shall be summoned to attend.

Not to be carried
without consent of
three-fourths of
Meeting.

No such alienation shall take place unless approved of by a majority of three-fourths of the Members present, at three several Meetings, eight days at least intervening between each.

Of Money Votes.

2. No sum of money shall be voted in donation, subscription, or otherwise, excepting for the ordinary expenses of the College, till the propriety thereof has been considered at two several Meetings, eight days at least intervening between each; one of these may be a Quarterly Meeting, provided intimation of the proposal has been given in the billets; and there must be a majority of three-fourths of the Members present at these two Meetings, to warrant such a proposal. But if the sum proposed do not exceed Ten Guineas Sterling, it shall be competent for the College by a majority of three-fourths of the Fellows present, to vote such the said sum immediately at any Meeting, Quarterly or Extraordinary, provided in either case notice has been given in the billets summoning the Meeting.

All Property to be
vested in the Trus-
tees.

3. The securities for all the sums of money or property that may belong to, or constitute any part or portion of the Funds of the College, and all heritable rights connected therewith, shall be conceived and taken to and in favour of the persons who may be Trustees for the time being, and to their successors in office.

How to be invested.

4. The Trustees shall have the power to lend out and invest the monies belonging to the College upon Heritable Security; or to invest the said funds, or such part of them as they shall think proper, in the purchase of Government Stock, or Stock of the Bank of England, or of any Bank in Scotland constituted by Charter or Act of Parliament, or in any other species of security which four-fifths of the said Trustees at any Meeting may direct and appoint.

Purchase and sale of
Property.

5. No purchase or sale of property or stock shall be made at any time by the said Trustees, without the special consent of four-fifths of the said Trustees, acting for the time being, expressed by a minute entered in the Sederunt-Book of the Trustees, and subscribed by the Trustees so consenting and approving.

CHAPTER XV.

LIBRARY AND LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

1. The President, Treasurer, and Librarian, together with two other Fellows appointed annually, at the Quarterly Meeting in August, shall form a Committee for the purchase of Books and superintendence of the Library, and shall meet at least once a month.

Constitution of Committee.

2. The attending Fellows of the College may upon subscribing a receipt in a book kept for the purpose, borrow any books from the Library, excepting the ten volumes of MSS. given to the College by Sir John Pringle. The Library Committee may also withhold from circulation such Books as from their extreme value or other causes, they think it inexpedient should circulate, provided always that a List of them be hung in the Library for the information of the Fellows.

Books to be, and not to be, lent.

3. No Books shall be lent out except a receipt be given for it, or the Fellow may leave a signed list of the Books he wishes to procure from the Library, which shall be held in place of a receipt. Fellows returning Books must see that their receipts are cancelled, as otherwise they will be held responsible for any Books lost that are entered in their names.

Receipts from Fellows.

4. The Sub-Librarian shall attend daily at the hour appointed, for giving out and receiving Books, and the performance of other duties connected with the Library. In his absence the Presses shall be kept constantly locked, but the key shall be entrusted to the Officer, who shall give out Books to Fellows for consultation, he remaining in attendance at the Hall to receive and replace such Books immediately when done with. The Officer shall also give out Books which are allowed to circulate among the Fellows, on taking a receipt for the same, which he shall hand over to the Sub-Librarian at his next visit, for insertion in the Receipt-Book.

Books to be given out by Sub-Librarian and Officer.

5. The Sub-Librarian shall be responsible for all Books lost

Responsibilities of
Sub-Librarian and
Officer.

which are entered in the Receipt-Book, and for which he can shew no Receipt; and the Officer for all such as are neither entered in the book, nor acknowledged by the signature of any Member.

Books may be called
in, and fine for
neglect.

6. Any Books which have been less than a year in the Library, may be called in after being a fortnight, and all other Books after being a month, in the possession of Members. Any Member neglecting to return a Book after intimation to do so has been duly sent him by the Sub-Librarian, shall be fined One Shilling for each day that he detains it, and no other Book shall be lent to him in the meantime.

Not to be issued for
a month after their
receipt.

7. All Books and Periodicals, shall (unless withheld by order of the Library Committee,) lie on the table of the Library for a month after their reception. On being withdrawn from the table, the Sub-Librarian shall insert in the Library Catalogues their titles and places on the shelves; after which they may be permitted to circulate among the Fellows. The numbers of Periodicals, after being removed from the table, shall be laid aside until they form a volume, and then bound. In the meantime they may be given out to Fellows under the ordinary regulations, but liable to be called in when wanted for binding.

List of New Books
and Periodicals to be
kept.

8. A List shall be regularly kept by the Sub-Librarian of all Books and Periodicals laid upon the table, together with the date of their reception and removal. This List it shall be the duty of the Officer to compare with the Books, &c., actually on the table, every morning after 10 o'clock: reporting to the Sub-Librarian any that he finds missing, in order that they may be traced, and the proper penalty inflicted for their unauthorized removal or detention.

May be removed af-
ter 8 P.M., and re-
turned before 10
A.M. next day.

9. In the evenings, after 8 o'clock, the Officer may give out to Fellows to take home with them, any of the Books or Periodicals which are laid on the Library table; on condition of their being returned by 10 o'clock the next morning. He shall mark down in a proper book, their names and those of the Fellows to whom they are delivered, taking a receipt for the same; and if not returned at the time appointed, shall record

against the offender a fine of One Shilling for each hour they are detained.

10. Any Fellow removing Books, &c., from the Hall without informing the Sub-Librarian or Officer, shall be fined Five Shillings for each offence. Newspapers shall on no account whatever be removed from the Reading-room.

Fine for removal of Books without authority.

No Newspaper to be removed.

11. The Catalogues of the Library, with all recent additions inserted; the Library Table Book; the Evening Receipt Book; the Proposal Book; and a list of fines incurred for infringing the Regulations of the Library, shall be regularly laid before the Committee at each of their Meetings.

Committee regularly to examine the Books.

12. Honorary, Non-Resident Fellows, and Fellows whose names have been taken off the Roll of Resident Members, may, avail themselves of the privileges of the Library and Reading-room, under the regulations contained in Chap. II., Laws 9, 10, 11. Strangers wishing to consult Books, if unattended by Fellows, must have the permission of the Council in each case, and shall do so in an adjoining apartment.

Honorary, Non-Resident, and Non-Attending Fellows may have the use of Library under certain regulations.

Admission of Strangers.

13. At the Quarterly Meeting in May every year, all Books borrowed shall be ordered in within a week after that day, in order that the Librarian and Committee may institute an examination and comparison with the Press Catalogue of all the Books in the Library; which they shall do within a fortnight after the said Quarterly Meeting. Fellows who neglect to comply with this order shall be fined One Shilling for each Book and each day of detention. The Books shall be called in and examined in like manner on a vacancy in the Offices of Sub-Librarian or Officer, before being handed over to the custody of a successor.

Books to be called in annually;

and when a new Librarian is appointed.

14. The Committee may from time to time make temporary regulations in regard to the Library. But such regulations shall not be acted on till approved of by the Council, and the whole or a part of them may be suspended or abolished by a vote of a majority of the Fellows at any Quarterly Meeting of the College, no previous notice of such a motion being required. Such temporary regulations moreover shall be held to be in force so long only as a copy of them hangs in a conspicuous place in the Reading-room or Library.

Interim Regulations may be made.

CHAPTER XVI.

MUSEUM AND MUSEUM COMMITTEE.

Constitution of Committee.

1. The President, the Professor of Materia Medica in the University of Edinburgh, (if a Fellow of the College,) the Curator of the Museum, and two other Fellows appointed annually, at the Quarterly Meeting in August, shall form a Committee for the superintendence of the Museum, and shall meet as occasion requires.

Curator to keep Keys.

2. The Curator shall keep the keys of the Museum Cases, arrange the specimens according to a certain scientific order, and see that all the Specimens are properly put up and preserved.

Curator to enter Donations.

3. The Curator shall enter in a book kept for the purpose, a particular description of every article presented to the Museum of the College, with the name of the donor, and the date of its presentation, and shall exhibit to the College at the first Quarterly Meeting thereafter, the donations received since their last Meeting.

Specimens not to be handled.

4. No specimen shall be handled or removed from the glass case, except in the presence of the Curator.

Admission of Visitors.

5. Every Fellow of the College may give a written order for the admission of visitors to the Museum ; but the cases shall not be opened to such visitors without the consent of the Museum Committee previously obtained, and at the sight of the Curator or one of the Members of the Museum Committee appointed for this purpose.

Curator to register fines for absence from Museum Committee.

6. The Curator shall, previously to the Meeting before the Quarterly Meeting of the College in November in each year, give to the Clerk a list of those Members of the Museum Committee who may have been absent from any of the Meetings, in order that the fines exigible from them may be collected and included in the Annual Statement of contributions and fines.

CHAPTER XVII.

OF PUBLICATIONS.

1. No publication shall appear in the name of the College, but on the following conditions :— Conditions relative to publication in name of College.

1st, It must be voted at three several Meetings, eight days intervening between each Meeting ; but if a third part of those present shall dissent, the publication shall not take place in name of the College.

2dly, All the resident Fellows of the College on the Roll of attendance, must be summoned to every one of those Meetings.

2. When the College resolve upon printing a new edition of their Pharmacopœia, that work shall be conducted by a Committee appointed for the purpose ; but no alterations shall be made, till they have been approved of by a majority of the College, at two Meetings held for the purpose of considering them. New editions of Pharmacopœia.

3. Motions and resolutions which have received the unanimous consent of the College may be published in the Newspapers or Medical Periodicals, provided the College unanimously consents at one Meeting that this should be done. Publication of Motions and Resolutions.

CHAPTER XVIII.

OF DIPLOMAS, &c.

1. All the Diplomas of the College shall be engraved according to a pattern approved of by the Council. These plates shall be kept in the custody of the Secretary. Every Diploma issued by the College, shall be signed by the President, and countersigned by the Secretary. Forms of Diplomas.

2. Engraved or printed forms of Petition for admission to the Resident and Non-Resident Fellowship, and for the Licentiate-ship, according to a pattern approved of by the Council, shall be kept by the Secretary, and be furnished by him to intending Candidates. Forms of Petition.

CHAPTER XIX.

CERTIFICATES OF QUALIFICATION TO LECTURE.

N.B.—The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and other Licensing Boards, having awarded to Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians the privilege of allowing Lectures delivered by them to form part of the required curriculum of study, the following regulations have been framed in regard to the certificate of qualification required.

Certificate of ability
to Lecture.

1. Any Fellow of the College desirous of being recognised as a Lecturer by the Royal College of Surgeons, and other Licensing Boards, shall make written application to the Secretary, who shall lay the same within ten days thereafter before the Council. The Council shall then appoint five well qualified gentlemen to be a Board of Examiners ; three of whom shall be a quorum.

Board of Examination.

Nature of Examination.

2. The Board having met and determined on the mode of examination, shall inform the Candidate of the time and place where such examination shall be held. The examination shall consist of

1. Questions to be answered either *viva voce* or in writing.
2. A Lecture on some subject that he proposes to teach, in the course of which he shall give
3. The appropriate illustrations, manipulations, or demonstrations.
4. He shall also give proof of possessing available means for illustrating the course.

How Certificate to
be conferred.

3. In the event of the decision of the Board being favourable, the President shall confer a certificate of qualification to teach at the first meeting of the College thereafter, or at an Extraordinary Meeting to be called for the purpose.

Certificate of Qualification.

4. The certificate of qualification to teach shall be in the form given in Appendix No. IX.

Joint Examination
of proposed Lecturers
not Fellows of
the College.

5. For the Examination of Lecturers not Fellows either of this College or of the College of Surgeons, (which Examination is to be conducted by a joint Board of the two Colleges,) the Council shall nominate an equal number of gentlemen with those appointed by the sister College.

6. Previously, however, to any such Applicant being taken on ^{Attestation as to Character.} trial, a petition from him shall be presented to the President of either College, with a testimonial as to his general character, signed by at least three Fellows of either College.

7. The number composing the joint Board shall be left to the ^{Number of Joint Board.} decision of the Committee of the two Colleges.

8. The sum of ten guineas shall in each case be paid to the ^{Fees for License.} Board of Examiners, one-half by the Candidate, and the other half, in the case of his being a Fellow, out of the College funds. When one who is not a Fellow is examined, he shall pay the the whole sum required.

A P P E N D I X.

No. I.

FORM OF PROMISSORY OBLIGATION, to be signed by every Resident Fellow, before taking his seat in the College.

I _____, one of the Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians at Edinburgh, do, by subscribing these presents, solemnly declare and surely promise, *First*, That I shall, all my life, according to my power, preserve and maintain the privileges, liberties, jurisdiction, and authority, granted to the said College by his sacred Majesty's gracious Patent for the good and necessary ends and uses therein contained. *Secondly*, That I shall lay hold of all occasions to promote the welfare and flourishing of the said College; and always give my Vote, when it is asked, as I think may be most conducive thereto. *Thirdly*, That I shall, as much as I can, advance and preserve unity, amity, and good order among all the Fellows, Candidates, and Licentiates thereof; and shall heartily wish and endeavour to promote the prosperity of them all, while they continue orderly and faithful to the College. *Fourthly*, That during my being a Fellow of the College, I shall at all times be subject to the due order and government thereof, according to the foresaid Patent. *Fifthly*, That I shall never divulge anything that is acted or spoken in any Meeting of the said College, or Council, or Court thereof, which I think may tend to the prejudice or defamation of the same, or any Member thereof. All the foresaid articles I shall keep, and never wittingly and willingly break any one of them as I desire to be holden and reputed an honest man.

No. II.

FORM OF PETITION for Admission as FELLOWS or LICENTIATES, of GRADUATES of British or Irish Universities, who propose to reside and practise in Edinburgh.

Unto the Much Honoured the PRESIDENT and Remanent Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh,

THE

PETITION of _____, Doctor of Medicine.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

THAT, for several years past, I have applied myself to the Study of Medicine, and have obtained the Degree of Doctor of Medicine from the University of _____, conform to my Diploma, dated _____, and being willing to observe the whole Laws and Regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College to admit me a Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, with power to Practise Medicine within the City or Liberties thereof, and to enjoy all other rights, liberties, and privileges, which any other Fellow (or Licentiate) does or may enjoy.

No. III.

FORM OF PETITION for Admission as FELLOWS or LICENTIATES, of GRADUATES of British or Irish Universities, who do not propose to reside or practise in Edinburgh.

Unto the Much Honoured the PRESIDENT and Remanent Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh,

THE

PETITION of _____, Doctor of Medicine.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

THAT, for several years past, I have applied myself to the Study of Medicine, and have obtained the Degree of Doctor of Medicine from the University of _____, conform to my Diploma, dated _____, and being willing, and hereby engaging, if I come to reside within the City or liberties of Edinburgh, I shall then

fulfil the whole conditions which the College does or may require of Resident Fellows (or Licentiates); and being also most willing to observe the whole laws and Regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College to admit me a Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, with power to enjoy all the rights, liberties and privileges, which any other Fellow (or Licentiate), not residing in Edinburgh, does or may enjoy.

No. IV.

FORM OF PETITION for Admission as FELLOWS or LICENTIATES, of GRADUATES of Foreign Universities, who propose to reside and practise in Edinburgh.

Unto the Much Honoured the PRESIDENT and Remanent of Fellows the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh,

THE

PETITION of _____, Doctor of Medicine.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

THAT, for several years past, I have applied myself to the Study of Medicine, and have obtained the Degree of Doctor of Medicine from the University of _____, conform to my Diploma, dated _____.

That being desirous of obtaining the Rank of Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, and having undergone the Trial of my qualifications prescribed by the Regulations of the College; and being willing, and hereby engaging, to fulfil the whole Laws and Regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College to admit me a Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, with power to practise Medicine within the City or liberties thereof, and to enjoy all other rights, liberties, and privileges which any other Fellow (or Licentiate,) not residing in Edinburgh, does or may enjoy.

No. V.

FORM OF PETITION for admission as FELLOWS or LICENTIATES, of CANDIDATES having a Foreign Degree, and who do not propose to reside or practise in Edinburgh.

Unto the Much Honoured the PRESIDENT and Remanent Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh,

THE

PETITION of _____, Doctor of Medicine.

HUMBLY SHEWETH,

THAT, for several years past, I have applied myself to the Study of Medicine, and have obtained the Degree of Doctor of Medicine from the University of _____, conform to my Diploma, dated _____.

That being desirous of obtaining the Rank of Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, and having undergone the Trial of my qualifications prescribed by the Regulations of the College; and being willing, and hereby engaging, if I come to reside within the City or liberties of Edinburgh, I will then fulfil the whole conditions which the College does or may require of Resident Fellows (or Licentiates); and being also most willing to observe the whole Laws and Regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College to admit me a Fellow (or Licentiate) of the College, with power to enjoy all the rights and privileges which any other Fellow (or Licentiate), not residing in Edinburgh, does or may enjoy.

No. VI.

A DIPLOMA, in the following terms, shall be granted to every Resident Ordinary Fellow of the College.

“ Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinburgense, rogante Præside, Sociisque annuentibus, decrevit ornatissimum virum A. B. in Societatem suam cooptare, et Collegam adsciscere. Ipsum ideo in societatem cooptat, Socium Residentem adscissit, omniumque honorum atque privilegiorum quibus Socii Residentes ejusdem

Collegii fruuntur, participem facit. In cujus rei fidem, hoc diploma, sigillo suo Præsidisque Secretariiue chirographo munitum, expediri jussit.

“Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Sociorum, die,” &c.

No. VII.

A DIPLOMA, in the following terms, shall be granted to every Non-Resident Ordinary Fellow of the College.

“Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinburgense, rogante Præsidi, Sociisque annuentibus, decrevit ornatissimum virum A. B. in Societatem suam cooptare, et Collegam Non-Residentem adsciscere. Ipsum ideo in Societatem cooptat, Socium Non-Residentem adsciscit, omniumque honorum atque privilegiorum quibus Socii Non-Residentes ejusdem Collegii fruuntur, participem facit. In cujus rei fidem, hoc diploma, sigillo suo Præsidisque Secretariiue chirographo munitum, expediri jussit.

“Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Sociorum, die,” &c.

No. VIII.

FORM of a LETTER, to be presented by the College to Honorary Associates.

“Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinburgense, rogante Præsidi Sociisque annuentibus, decrevit virum illustrem A. B. eruditione omnigena celeberrimum, in Societatem suam cooptare, et Collegam adsciscere. Ipsum ideo in Collegium cooptat, Socium Honorarium adsciscit, omniumque honorum quibus Socii ejusdem Collegii Honorarii fruuntur, participem facit. In cujus rei fidem, hanc chartam, Præsidis Secretariiue chirographo munitam, expediri jussit.

“Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Sociorum, die,” &c.

No. IX.

FORM OF A CERTIFICATE to be presented by the College to Fellows who have been examined and found qualified to lecture on any branch of Medical Science required by the Examining Boards.

Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinense, de ——— peracto examine, audita prælectione, inspectoque apparatu inter prælegen-

dum adhibendo, his literis testatur docendo hanc Medicinæ partem virum ingenuum, consocium, A. B. se parem comprobasse. In cujus rei fidem hanc chartam sigillo suo, Præsidis, Secretarii que chirorographo munitam, expediri jussit—

Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Sociorum, die, &c.



